

**APPROVED IN-STATE
PRIVATE SCHOOLS FOR THE
DISABLED

DIRECTORY**



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INTRODUCTION

This directory lists New Jersey private schools approved to provide special education programs to public school students in accordance with New Jersey Administrative Code 6A:14 Subchapter 7. The Individualized Education Program (IEP) team for a student with educational disability can consider placement in special classes, separate schooling or other removal from the student's regular class only when the nature or severity of the educational disability is such that education in the student's regular class with the use of appropriate supplementary aids and services cannot be achieved satisfactorily.

The directory also identifies schools that are licensed by the Department of Human Services (DHS) to provide residential programs. DHS is responsible for licensing and monitoring of all residential child care facilities in New Jersey. For answers to questions regarding licensing criteria or the current status of a license of a particular residential facility, please contact the Department of Human Services at (609) 292-8255.

The In-State Approved Private Schools for the Disabled Directory is updated on the Web site of the New Jersey Department of Education as changes occur. Persons who do not have access to the Internet may receive a current printed copy of the directory by calling the Office of Special Education Programs, Bureau of Program Review and Approval at (609) 292-8901.

Approved In-State Private Schools for the Disabled

COUNTY: SUSSEX
SCHOOL NAME: WILLOWGLEN ACADEMY, NEWTON CAMPUS
293 ROUTE 206, NORTH
NEWTON, NJ 07860

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (973) 579-5117 **FAX:** (973) 579-6124
CONTACT PERSON: SUSAN HACKETT
TITLE: PRINCIPAL

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	6	10-21

Program Description

Willowglen Academy, established in 1987 and located in northwestern New Jersey, is a day school with a residential treatment facility component. Intensive clinical and educational services are provided to severely emotionally disturbed and developmentally disabled pre-adolescents and adolescents. The school operates in a self-contained format, and emphasizes academic instruction, functional daily living skills development, socio-behavioral development, prevocational training and language/communication development. Dedicated trained professional staff members lead and direct the program services, using a multidisciplinary team management approach.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL WITH RESIDENTIAL COMPONENT
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 8:20 am - 2:45 pm

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COUNTY: Atlantic
SCHOOL NAME: Y.A.L.E. SCHOOL EAST, INC.
1000 BURTON AVENUE
NORTHFIELD, NJ 08225

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (609) 677-9960 **FAX:** (609) 677-9985
CONTACT PERSON: AL DOYLE
TITLE: PRINCIPAL

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	7	07-19

Program Description

NOT SUBMITTED

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 8:45 am - 2:15 pm

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COUNTY: BERGEN
SCHOOL NAME: ALPINE LEARNING GROUP, INC.
777 PARAMUS ROAD
PARAMUS, NJ 07652

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (201) 612-7800 **FAX:** (201) 612-7710
CONTACT PERSON: LINDA S. MEYER, Ed.D.
TITLE: EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
AUTISM	1	06-19
PRESCHOOL DISABILITIES	1	03-05

Program Description

Alpine Learning Group, Inc. (ALG) was established in 1989 as a private non profit corporation to provide state-of-the-art education and intervention services to individuals with autism, ages 3-21, and their families. ALG offers comprehensive researched based educational services, based on the principles of applied behavioral analysis. ALG is committed to maximizing the developmental potential of each student through highly structured individualized data - based programs.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 9:00 am - 2:45 pm

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COUNTY: BERGEN

SCHOOL NAME: YOUTH CONSULTATION SERVICES - FORT LEE

FORT LEE EDUCATION CENTER
2300 THIRD STREET
FORT LEE, NJ 07024

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (201) 944-6608

FAX: (201) 944-6695

CONTACT PERSON: JOANNE GORMAN

TITLE: PRINCIPAL

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	8	11-20
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	6	09-18

Program Description

Our Mission: To advocate for, educate, shelter and care for children in need and their families, so that each can further develop the skills, self-worth and hope necessary for success within their communities.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL

LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS

SCHOOL DAY: 8:45 am - 2:00 pm

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COUNTY: BERGEN
SCHOOL NAME: C.P. CENTER, BERGEN COUNTY
29-01 BERKSHIRE ROAD
FAIR LAWN, NJ 07410-3750

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (201) 797-7440 **FAX:** (201) 797-1039
CONTACT PERSON: CAROLANN GARAFOLA
TITLE: DIRECTOR/PRINCIPAL

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
PRESCHOOL DISABILITIES	2	03-05

Program Description

The Cerebral Palsy Center, Bergen County, Inc., provides two preschool classes for children, ages 3 to 5 who have physical disabilities. They may also have speech delays, cognitive impairments and be medically fragile. The full day and extended year program includes individual and group activities, making creative use of state-of-the-art assistive technology, in a caring nurturing environment. Physical, occupational, feeding, music and speech therapies are available.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS
SCHOOL DAY: 9:00 am - 2:30 pm

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COUNTY: BERGEN
SCHOOL NAME: EDUCATIONAL PARTNERSHIP FOR INSTRUCTING CHILDREN
238 FARVIEW AVENUE
PARAMUS, NJ 07652-3244
* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.
TELEPHONE: (201) 576-0600 **FAX:** (201) 576-0699
CONTACT PERSON: CHRISTINE LEVIN
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
AUTISM	5	05-14

Program Description

Educational Partnership for Instructing Children (EPIC) is a nonprofit program, dedicated to providing quality educational services to children with autism and/or pervasive developmental disorder. EPIC serves students ages 3-21, using teaching methods based on the principles of applied behavior analysis. Individualized instruction, parent observations and home consultation services are provided.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 9:00 am - 2:30 pm

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COUNTY: BERGEN

SCHOOL NAME: YOUTH CONSULTATION SERVICES - HACKENSACK

GEORGE WASHINGTON SCHOOL
386 HUDSON STREET
HACKENSACK, NJ 07601

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (201) 931-1301

FAX: (201) 886-8825

CONTACT PERSON: MARILYN LESSLIE

TITLE: PRINCIPAL

Class Type

BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES

Number of Classes

8

Age Range

06-14

Program Description

NOT SUBMITTED

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL

LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION

SCHOOL DAY: 8:45 am - 2:15 pm

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COUNTY: BERGEN
SCHOOL NAME: BERGEN CTR. FOR CHILD DEVELOPMENT
140 PARK STREET
HAWORTH, NJ 07641

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (201) 385-4857 **FAX:** (201) 385-4997
CONTACT PERSON: STEVE GOLDBERG
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	1	13-17
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	3	10-20
TRAUMATIC BRAIN INJURY	4	06-20

Program Description

Bergen Center for Child Development was founded by parents as a non-profit school for the disabled in August 1968. Our school is extremely proud that our student population demonstrates annual progress above the national norms for special education. The program is designed to increase academic, emotional and social skills, utilizing behavior modification, task analysis and a taxonomy of sub-entry skill levels with adaptive techniques. Ancillary Services: Medical, Speech/Language, Counseling, Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy, Music and Art Therapy.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS
SCHOOL DAY: 8:30 am - 2:00 pm

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COUNTY: BERGEN

SCHOOL NAME: E.C.L.C., NEW JERSEY

302 NORTH FRANKLIN TURNPIKE
HO HO KUS, NJ 07423

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (201) 670-7880

FAX: (201) 670-6675

CONTACT PERSON: DR. BRUCE LITINGER

TITLE: EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
LEARNING/LANGUAGE DISORDERS- MILD TO MODERATE	6	10-14
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	3	10-21

Program Description

ECLC's mission is to help disabled students discover how they fit into the world and guide them toward becoming independent and employed adults.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL

LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION

SCHOOL DAY: 8:45 am - 2:45 pm

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COUNTY: BERGEN
SCHOOL NAME: HIGH POINT SCHOOL OF BERGEN COUNTY
46 SPRING STREET
LODI, NJ 07644

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (973) 574-0344 **FAX:** (973) 574-0334
CONTACT PERSON: MARK FANAROFF
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	3	15-20
LEARNING/LANGUAGE DISORDERS- MILD TO MODERATE	2	13-16
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	1	14-16

Program Description

High Point School of Bergen County specializes in serving students who face learning, language and social development challenges. The program is designed to focus on the specific learning strengths and needs of each child and offers programs which meet each student at whatever level he or she performs. The following related services are offered: social skills training, counseling, and speech therapy. Small classes, personal attention and a positive learning experience are the hallmarks of the High Point School.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS
SCHOOL DAY: 8:45 am - 2:30 pm

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COUNTY: BERGEN
SCHOOL NAME: FELICIAN SCHOOL FOR EXCEPTIONAL CHILDREN, INC
260 S. MAIN STREET
P.O. BOX 530
LODI, NJ 07644

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (973) 777-5355 **FAX:** (973) 777-0725
CONTACT PERSON: SR. RAMONA BORKOWSKI
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	2	08-15
COGNITIVELY IMPAIRED-MODERATE	11	05-21

Program Description

The Felician School for Exceptional Children, Inc., provides a ten-month full academic program from primary to job skills training. The school program is geared to deal with each student's individual strengths and weaknesses. The program includes skilled fully certified teachers, counselors, therapists and psychologists in structured classes (1:3) with individualized curriculum, multi-faceted physical and outdoor education programs, various group activities, life skills education, as well as individual and group therapies.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS
SCHOOL DAY: 8:30 am - 2:00 pm

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COUNTY: BERGEN
SCHOOL NAME: PALISADES LEARNING CENTER
304 EAST MIDLAND AVENUE
PARAMUS, NJ 07652

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (201) 262-2270 **FAX:** (201) 262-1289
CONTACT PERSON: ANTHONY AIELLO
TITLE: PRINCIPAL

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	12	11-21

Program Description

The Palisades Learning Center (PLC) was approved in 1977, by the New Jersey Department of Education, to provide educational services to students who are determined by their sending school districts to be eligible to receive special education services. PLC currently serves approximately ninety students who present with social, emotional and learning problems. Palisades Learning Center is committed to child-centered services and provides a transdisciplinary program, designed to assure that the academic social and emotional needs of each student are met.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS
SCHOOL DAY: 8:45 am - 2:00 pm

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COUNTY: BERGEN
SCHOOL NAME: DAVID GREGORY SCHOOL
357 FARVIEW AVENUE
PARAMUS, NJ 07652

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (201) 967-9772 **FAX:** (201) 967-7071
CONTACT PERSON: MARIE LUPINSKI
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
AUTISM	1	05-08
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	4	06-14
PRESCHOOL DISABILITIES	1	03-05

Program Description

The goal of the David Gregory School is to meet the needs of students and parents by providing individualized instruction which addresses the cognitive, emotional, social and physical needs of the students. The school encourages the development of each student to his/her fullest potential. The school also employs the principles of applied behavioral analysis, discrete trial, incidental and naturalistic non aversive teaching.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 9:05 am - 2:30 pm

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COUNTY: BERGEN

SCHOOL NAME: SAWTELLE LEARNING CENTER ANNEX- PARAMUS

350 LOCKWOOD
PARAMUS, NJ 07652

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (201) 646-9780

FAX: (201) 968-1823

CONTACT PERSON: JIM BALL

TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
AUTISM	1	05-09

Program Description

NOT SUBMITTED

TYPE OF PROGRAM:

LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS

SCHOOL DAY:

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COUNTY: BERGEN

SCHOOL NAME: LEARNING CTR-EXCEPTIONAL CHILDREN

223 MONTROSS STREET
RUTHERFORD, NJ 07070

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (201) 559-3190

FAX: (201) 967-1426

CONTACT PERSON: LINDA J. BUONAURO

TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	15	05-21
PRESCHOOL DISABILITIES	1	03-05

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL

LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION

SCHOOL DAY: 9:00 am -2:00 pm

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COUNTY: BERGEN
SCHOOL NAME: HOLMSTEAD SCHOOL
14 HOPE STREET
RIDGEWOOD, NJ 07450

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (201) 447-1696 **FAX:** (201) 447-4608
CONTACT PERSON: PATRICIA G. WHITEHEAD
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	13	13-18

Program Description

The Holmstead School was established in 1970, for adolescents who possess high intellectual potential, but have been unable to achieve successfully in the traditional school setting. Instructors, who are at least dually certified to provide instruction, teach 59 diversified college preparatory courses as well as art, music, theatre performance and physical education. Holmstead School is able to provide weekly individual and/or group therapy sessions which build trust, enhance self image and promote academic achievement.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS
SCHOOL DAY: 8:30 am - 2:15 pm

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COUNTY: BERGEN

SCHOOL NAME: YOUTH CONSULTATION SERVICES - RIDGEWOOD

335 NORTH VAN DIEN AVENUE
RIDGEWOOD, NJ 07450

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (201) 646-9780

FAX: (201) 968-1823

CONTACT PERSON: BARBARA MARKELL

TITLE: DIRECTOR

Class Type

AUTISM

Number of Classes

2

Age Range

06-13

Program Description

The mission of all YCS schools is to teach students to become academically proficient and socially competent through a highly crafted and structured program, specifically designed for students with severe emotional and behavioral problems.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL

LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION

SCHOOL DAY: 9:00 am - 2:30 pm

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COUNTY: BERGEN

SCHOOL NAME: INSTITUTE FOR EDUCATIONAL ACHIEVEMENT

381 MADISON AVENUE
NEW MILFORD, NJ 07646

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (201) 262-3287

FAX: (201) 262-9479

CONTACT PERSON: DAWN BUFFINGTON

TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
AUTISM	3	6-10
PRESCHOOL DISABILITIES	2	3-5

Program Description

The Institute for Educational Achievement (IEA) provides individualized educational programming for children with autism to maximize each student's potential for transitioning into typical classroom and community settings. The teaching techniques used at IEA are based on principles and technology of applied behavior analysis. Home programming and family support services are also provided.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL

LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS

SCHOOL DAY: 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

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COUNTY: BERGEN

SCHOOL NAME: THE COMMUNITY SCHOOL, Inc. -H.S.

1135 TEANECK ROAD
TEANECK, NJ 07666

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (201) 862-1796

FAX: (201) 862-1791

CONTACT PERSON: DENNIS COHEN/TOBY BRAUNST

TITLE: DIRECTORS

Program Description

NOT SUBMITTED

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL

LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS

SCHOOL DAY: 8:20 am - 2:50 pm

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Approved In-State Private Schools for the Disabled

COUNTY: BERGEN
SCHOOL NAME: THE COMMUNITY SCHOOL, Inc.
LOWER SCHOOL
11 WEST FOREST AVENUE
TEANECK, NJ 07666

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (201) 837-8070 **FAX:** (201) 837-6799
CONTACT PERSON: MRS. RITA ROWAN
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
LEARNING/LANGUAGE DISORDERS- MILD TO MODERATE	11	06-14

Program Description

Founded in 1968, the school provides a therapeutic milieu for students whose intellectual potential is in the normal range, who present with learning, processing attention deficits. Instruction offers remedial, behavioral, social, speech/language and visual-motor interventions. Strong physical education, arts and content curricula are taught by a stable staff, with advanced training, in 3:1 ratio. Multi-sensory methods, computer use and other technologies are widely employed.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS
SCHOOL DAY: 8:15 am - 2:50 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

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COUNTY: BERGEN
SCHOOL NAME: J.C.C. THERAPEUTIC NURSERY
411 EAST CLINTON AVENUE
TENAFLY, NJ 07670

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (201) 569-7900 **FAX:** (201) 569-7448
CONTACT PERSON: DORIS A. ALLEN
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
PRESCHOOL DISABILITIES	2	03-05

Program Description

The Therapeutic Nursery at JCC on the Palisades is a parent-child program that serves preschool children having Pervasive Developmental Disorder, Asperger's Syndrome, High Functioning Autism, Language Disorders or Emotional Disturbance. The orientation of the Nursery reflects our belief, based on years of experience, that high functioning children with social/emotional/behavioral deficits respond best to a communication-based developmental program that also teaches parents behavioral strategies to be used at home and in the community. Our program provides a unique educational alternative to, or supplement for, the applied behavioral analysis training programs.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: HALF-DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS
SCHOOL DAY: 9:00 -12:30 / 11:30-3:00

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COUNTY: BERGEN
SCHOOL NAME: FORUM SCHOOL
107 WYCKOFF AVENUE
WALDWICK, NJ 07463

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (201) 444-5882 **FAX:** (201) 444-4003
CONTACT PERSON: STEVEN KRAPES
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
AUTISM	5	05-12
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	15	5-16
PRESCHOOL DISABILITIES	1	03-05

Program Description

Founded in 1954, Forum School is a non-profit special education day school serving children with neurologically based developmental disabilities (PDD, Autism, Asperger Syndrome, ADD, ADHD, OCD, LD). The program utilizes a developmentally stimulating curriculum, with a structured behavioral management approach. The goal is to maximize the child's ability to function in the community, returning him/her to a less restrictive educational setting, whenever possible. Supportive services include speech therapy, swimming, adaptive physical education, an extensive parent support program, and an approved summer day program.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 9:30 am - 2:30 pm

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COUNTY: BURLINGTON
SCHOOL NAME: MIDWAY SCHOOL
111 MUNICIPAL DRIVE
P.O BOX 587
LUMBERTON, NJ 08048

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (609) 267-5366 **FAX:** (609) 267-5433
CONTACT PERSON: DR. CHARLES HAWN
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	6	05-18

Program Description

Midway School encompasses highly specialized, wholly individualized programs for K-12 students classified as neurologically impaired or multiply disabled. In addition to providing intensive remediation services in the areas of speech and language development, gross motor development, psycho-social adjustment and academic remediation, the Midway School program is designed to foster good work attitudes, to enhance students' self image.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 8:30 am - 2:30 pm

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COUNTY: BURLINGTON
SCHOOL NAME: Y.A.L.E. SCHOOL, NORTH
c/o NOKMIS ELEM. SCHOOL
135 MUDJEKEEWIS TRAIL
MEDFORD LAKES, NJ 08055

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (856) 810-8801 **FAX:** (856) 779-7721
CONTACT PERSON: JAMES CONLEY
TITLE: EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
AUTISM	1	05-08
EXTENDED PRESCHOOL HANDICAPPED	1	03-05
PRESCHOOL DISABILITIES	1	03-05

Program Description

Y.A.L.E. School, North, located in a suburban public school building, provides a continuum of specialized educational services for youngsters with autism spectrum disorders. This behaviorally based program is designed to promote skill acquisition and generalization. This is accomplished through discreet trial instruction and incidental teaching. Additional services include embedded communication programming, social skills training, creative transition services and parent education.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS
SCHOOL DAY: 9:15 am - 3:00 pm

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COUNTY: BURLINGTON

SCHOOL NAME: GITHENS CENTER

40 CEDAR STREET
MOUNT HOLLY, NJ 08060

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (609) 261-1667

FAX: (609) 261-1844

CONTACT PERSON: KATE G. YORK

TITLE: EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	5	06-21
PRESCHOOL DISABILITIES	1	03-05

Program Description

Githins Center offers a ten month program and an extended school year which include intensive physical, occupational and speech/language therapies, as well as individualized cognitive instruction. Other unique features include assistive technology assessments, training for computer access, use of communication devices and adaptive devices for mobility and fine motor skills, a toilet teaching curriculum, aquatics and communication - based instruction. The program has functioned for almost 50 years. Services are provided by a dedicated and expert staff.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL

LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION

SCHOOL DAY: 8:30 am - 2:30 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

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COUNTY: BURLINGTON
SCHOOL NAME: CHILDREN'S HOME-MARY DOBBINS SCH.
243 PINE STREET
MOUNT HOLLY, NJ 08060

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (609) 267-1550 **FAX:** (609) 261-5672
CONTACT PERSON: JOSEPH DOUGHERTY
TITLE: DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	10	08-17

Program Description

Mary A. Dobbins School offers individualized special education programs within a highly therapeutic environment, for students between the ages of eight and twenty-one. The program serves students with conduct disorders and other behavioral/emotional problems. The support staff includes therapists, school-to-work coordinator, guidance counselor and behavior management specialists. Referrals are made by DYFS and local public school districts.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL WITH RESIDENTIAL COMPONENT
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

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COUNTY: BURLINGTON

SCHOOL NAME: HAMPTON ACADEMY

108 BURRS ROAD
MOUNT HOLLY, NJ 08060

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TELEPHONE: (609) 267-2757

FAX: (609) 267-2550

CONTACT PERSON: BERNARD D. SHAPIRO

TITLE: EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Class Type

BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES

Number of Classes

9

Age Range

11-18

Program Description

Hampton Academy is dedicated to serving the needs of emotionally disabled adolescents exhibiting symptoms of clinical depression and other psychiatric disorders; victimization from child abuse or molestation; ADD/ADHD; or drug experimentation. Each student receives intensive therapeutic services including individual counseling, group counseling and creative therapies. Counseling sessions focus on interpersonal and social skills development, substance abuse and smoking cessation.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL

LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS

SCHOOL DAY: 8:30 am - 2:30 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

Approved In-State Private Schools for the Disabled

COUNTY: BURLINGTON
SCHOOL NAME: GARFIELD PARK ACADEMY
24 GLENOLDEN LANE
WILLINGBORO, NJ -08046

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (609) 877-4111 **FAX:** (609) 877-5551
CONTACT PERSON: DR. GLADYS MORSE
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	12	05-18
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	3	14-18

Program Description

The Therapeutic Learning Center serves the educational, social, emotional and vocational needs of the exceptional child. Individualized instruction is provided for the learning disabled, ADD, BD and Asperger's Syndrome child. Individual and group counseling is available daily, as well as art, music and family therapy. The school staff receives special training for working with children who present with behavioral problems, on a bi-weekly basis. TLC received Middle States Association Accreditation in 1999. The school has been operating since December 1992.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 8:20 am - 2:00 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

Approved In-State Private Schools for the Disabled

COUNTY: CAMDEN
SCHOOL NAME: LARC SCHOOL, INC.
1089 CREEK ROAD
BELLMAWR, NJ 08031

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (856) 933-3725 **FAX:** (856) 933-3158
CONTACT PERSON: MS. SUSAN WEINER
TITLE: EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	9	05-21
PRESCHOOL DISABILITIES	2	03-05

Program Description

LARC School provides educational, therapeutic and recreational services to students with multiple disabilities. Since 1968, LARC has provided a highly individualized, child-centered, holistic approach utilizing its therapeutic services to support an educational process promoting self-awareness, self-confidence and independence. Some of the programs available are community based instruction, pre-vocational training, total communication and integrated team approaches.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 8:45 am - 2:30 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

Approved In-State Private Schools for the Disabled

COUNTY: CAMDEN
SCHOOL NAME: JUVENILE RESOURCE CENTER
ALTERNATIVE SCHOOL
315 COOPER STREET
CAMDEN, NJ 08102

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (856) 963-4060 **FAX:** (856) 963-4773
CONTACT PERSON: DR. STELLA J. HORTON
TITLE: EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	2	14-18
COGNITIVELY IMPAIRED - MILD	3	13-19
LEARNING/LANGUAGE DISORDERS- MILD TO MODERATE	1	13-17

Program Description

JRC is a day program, with an extended school year option, serving emotionally disturbed and socially mal-adjusted youths. Services include vocational/ pre-vocational instruction, job readiness, social services, independent living, art, recreation, and counseling. Instruction is implemented according to New Jersey Department of Education Core Curriculum Content Standards.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 8:30 am - 2:00 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

Approved In-State Private Schools for the Disabled

COUNTY: CAMDEN

SCHOOL NAME: **BROOKFIELD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**

1000 ATLANTIC AVENUE
CAMDEN, NJ 08104

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (856) 966-0025

FAX: (856) 966-5570

CONTACT PERSON: JOSEPH BEIERSCHMITT

TITLE: PRINCIPAL

Class Type

BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES

Number of Classes

6

Age Range

06-13

Program Description

Brookfield Elementary's trained staff provides intensive counseling and educational experiences in a supportive learning environment for students aged 6-13. The school also provides nursing services, community outings, a behavior modification system and a parent involvement component.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY

LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION

SCHOOL DAY: 9:00AM - 3:00 PM

Last updated 03-Jun-03

Approved In-State Private Schools for the Disabled

COUNTY: CAMDEN

SCHOOL NAME: BROOKFIELD ACADEMY

1009 HADDONFIELD-BERLIN ROAD
CHERRY HILL, NJ 08034

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (856) 795-8228

FAX: (856) 795-3009

CONTACT PERSON: DOROTHY K. VAN HORN

TITLE: SUPERINTENDENT

Class Type

BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES

Number of Classes

13

Age Range

14-20

Program Description

Brookfield Academy has been serving students who are experiencing adjustment, behavioral and personality disorders, for the last 29 years. A highly trained staff provides intensive counseling and excellent educational experiences in a supportive learning environment . The school also provides art, cosmetology, horticulture, culinary arts, computer technology, TV production, sports team, transition services and an alumni association.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL

LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS

SCHOOL DAY: 8:50 am - 2:05 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

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COUNTY: CAMDEN
SCHOOL NAME: Y.A.L.E. SCHOOL, INC.
2127 CHURCH ROAD
CHERRY HILL, NJ 08002

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (856) 482-5252 **FAX:** (856) 795-9684
CONTACT PERSON: EDWARD VONDERSCHMIDT
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	14	05-20
LEARNING/LANGUAGE DISORDERS- MILD TO MODERATE	6	05-20
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	1	15-19

Program Description

An individualized program of educational and support services is provided to students classified "eligible for special education and related services" who have specific learning disabilities, behavioral disorders and multiple disabilities. Instructional strategies include direct instruction programs, fluency training and the Wilson Reading Program. Support services include individual, family and group counseling, social skills training, occupational therapy, physical therapy and speech/language therapy. A consulting psychiatrist and reading specialist provide staff consultation.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 8:45 am - 2:45 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

Approved In-State Private Schools for the Disabled

COUNTY: CAMDEN
SCHOOL NAME: Y.C.S. SAWTELLE, SOUTH
550 Mc GILL AVENUE
WEST COLLINGSWOOD, NJ 08107

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (856) 854-5777 **FAX:**
CONTACT PERSON: BARBARA MARKELL
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
AUTISM	2	06-12

Program Description

YCS Sawtelle Learning Center, South is a program designed to meet the educational needs of students presenting within the autism spectrum, aged 7-12. Plans are underway to extend services to students aged 3-21. The program is located in West Collingswood, New Jersey. The program is based on Applied Behavioral Analysis and is structured in a behavioral framework. The program offers speech and language therapy, occupational therapy, music therapy and both cognitive and functional programming. There is a 2:1 teacher/student ratio for most classes. A 1:1 teacher student ratio is anticipated for the preschool program, projected to open in July 2001.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 9:00am - 2:30 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

Approved In-State Private Schools for the Disabled

COUNTY: CAMDEN

SCHOOL NAME: **BROOKFIELD ACADEMY - B.A.C.T.P.**

c/o CAMDEN COUNTY COLLEGE, ADAMS HALL
LITTLE GLOUCESTER ROAD
BLACKWOOD, NJ 08012

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (856) 795-8228

FAX: (856) 795-3009

CONTACT PERSON: DOROTHY K. VAN HORN

TITLE: SUPERINTENDENT

Class Type

BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES

Number of Classes

1

Age Range

16-20

Program Description

The Transition to College Program is a unique program to help high school juniors and seniors become prepared for the academic and socio-emotional challenges of college life. The program is on-site at Camden County College in Blackwood, New Jersey.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL

LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS

SCHOOL DAY: 8:15 am - 3:15 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

Approved In-State Private Schools for the Disabled

COUNTY: CAMDEN
SCHOOL NAME: BANCROFT PRESCHOOL
812 KINGS HIGHWAY
HADDON HEIGHTS, NJ 08035

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (856) 546-7727 **FAX:** (856) 429-4723
CONTACT PERSON: THOMAS RYAN
TITLE: DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
PRESCHOOL DISABILITIES	4	03-05

Program Description

This program serves students between the ages of 3 and 5 with a diagnosis of autism or pervasive developmental disorder. Highlights of the program include: discreet trial training, a full time speech teacher and individualized speech therapy, a 2:1 staff to student ratio, the Picture Exchange System, and a state-of-the-art behavior management program. Physical and occupational therapies are integrated into the program.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 9:00 am - 2:30 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

Approved In-State Private Schools for the Disabled

COUNTY: CAMDEN
SCHOOL NAME: BANCROFT - HADDONFIELD
HOPKINS LANE
HADDONFIELD, NJ 08033

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TELEPHONE: (856) 429-0010 **FAX:** (856) 429-4723
CONTACT PERSON: THOMAS RYAN
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
AUTISM	5	05-21
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	41	05-21

Program Description

This program serves children from age 5-21. It is divided into 5 units: First Steps Primary, Elementary Academics, Secondary Academics, Vocational and Transitional. Strong integrated related services and high staff to student ratio highlights all of the programs. Each unit uses community based instruction as a core part of the curriculum. Vocational programming starts at an early age and is emphasized throughout the curriculum.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/12 MONTHS OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 8:30 am - 2:15 pm

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Approved In-State Private Schools for the Disabled

COUNTY: CAMDEN

SCHOOL NAME: KINGSWAY CENTER

144 KINGS HIGHWAY WEST
HADDONFIELD, NJ 08033

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (856) 428-8108

FAX: (856) 428-7520

CONTACT PERSON: DAVID J. PANNER

TITLE: EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Class Type

MULTIPLE DISABILITIES

Number of Classes

14

Age Range

05-15

Program Description

Kingsway Learning Center, located in Haddonfield, provides services for children with multiple learning and developmental disabilities. The individualized school program serves students with multiple disabilities, referred by over 50 public school districts in a five county geographic region. Students receive a comprehensive team approach. The education team consists of a teacher, teacher assistant, speech therapist, occupation therapist, physical therapist, adaptive physical education teacher, a psychologist, a social worker and a nursing staff.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL

LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS

SCHOOL DAY: 8:30 am - 2:15 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

Approved In-State Private Schools for the Disabled

COUNTY: CAMDEN

SCHOOL NAME: C.P. SCHOOL & TREATMENT CENTER

7512 NORTH CRESCENT BOULEVARD
PENNSAUKEN, NJ 08110

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (856) 662-7300

FAX: (856) 662-1099

CONTACT PERSON: DOUGLAS LEHNOWSKY

TITLE: DIRECTOR

Class Type

MULTIPLE DISABILITIES

Number of Classes

5

Age Range

05-21

Program Description

Established in 1970, Cerebral Palsy School and Treatment Center provides educational and rehabilitative services to students with multiple disabilities. Typically, pupils reside in Burlington, Camden and Gloucester counties. Educational support services available at the school include physical therapy, occupational therapy, speech and language services, with augmentative communication evaluation and training. The school offers a six week summer day camp experience in Folsom, NJ. NOTE: Recreational camps are not approved and regulated by the Department of Education.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL

LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS

SCHOOL DAY: 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

Approved In-State Private Schools for the Disabled

COUNTY: CAMDEN
SCHOOL NAME: BANCROFT SCHOOL, VOORHEES
1304 LAUREL OAK ROAD
VOORHEES, NJ 08043

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (856) 566-0634 **FAX:** (856) 435-4223
CONTACT PERSON: THOMAS RYAN
TITLE: DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	9	06-21
PRESCHOOL DISABILITIES	1	03-05

Program Description

This program offers comprehensive educational programming for medically fragile and technology-dependent youths and young adults. Each classroom has its own licensed nurse to offer skilled nursing care within the program. Occupational, physical and speech therapies are integrated into each classroom, utilizing a strong teamwork approach. The program focuses on the development of new skills to facilitate re-entry into the community and home.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 8:00 am -12:00 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

Approved In-State Private Schools for the Disabled

COUNTY: CAMDEN
SCHOOL NAME: Y.A.L.E. SCHOOL SOUTHEAST
1004 LAUREL OAK DRIVE
VOORHEES, NJ 08043

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TELEPHONE: (856) 795-9288 **FAX:** (856) 346-0706
CONTACT PERSON: ANNA DAVIDSON
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
AUTISM	1	05-09

Program Description

NOT SUBMITTED

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS
SCHOOL DAY: 9:00 am - 2:45 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

Approved In-State Private Schools for the Disabled

COUNTY: CAMDEN
SCHOOL NAME: ARCHWAY PROGRAMS (UPPER, LOWER & PSH)
197 JACKSON ROAD
ATCO, NJ 08004

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (856) 767-5757 **FAX:** (856) 767-8047
CONTACT PERSON: SUSAN LAFFERTY
TITLE: PRINCIPAL

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	13	05-21
COGNITIVELY IMPAIRED-SEVERE	1	17-21
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	17	05-21
PRESCHOOL DISABILITIES	2	03-05

Program Description

Archway Upper and Lower School is a non-profit educational institution that offers an innovative interdisciplinary program for special needs students whose varied exceptionalities range from moderate to severe educational disability. Our goal is to assist students to develop the capacity for continuous learning, while acquiring the functional skills necessary to adapt to society's changing demands.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 8:30 am - 2:30 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

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COUNTY: CAMDEN
SCHOOL NAME: CHALLENGE ALTERNATIVE SCHOOL
ARCHWAY PROGRAMS
280 JACKSON ROAD
ATCO, NJ 08004

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (856) 767-5757 **FAX:** (856) 767-8047
CONTACT PERSON: SUSAN LAFFERTY
TITLE: PRINCIPAL

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	3	08-21

Program Description

Archway School is a non-profit educational institution that offers an innovative interdisciplinary program for special needs students whose varied exceptionalities range from moderate to severe educational disability. Our goal is to assist students to develop the capacity for continuous learning while helping them acquire the functional skills necessary to adapt to society's changing demands.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS
SCHOOL DAY: 8:40 am- 5:30 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

Approved In-State Private Schools for the Disabled

COUNTY: CUMBERLAND
SCHOOL NAME: PINELAND LEARNING CENTER
ELEMENTARY & HIGH SCHOOL
P.O. BOX 389
ROSENHAYN, NJ 08352

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (856) 451-9363 **FAX:** (856) 451-7186
CONTACT PERSON: FREDERICK W. ECCLESTON
TITLE: EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	8	05-18

Program Description

Pineland Learning Center is Middle States accredited and has been operating since 1980. Professional staff are all state certified. Students are primarily behaviorally disabled, with varying learning styles. Learning environment is highly structured with both elementary and secondary programs. The instructional program includes all academic areas, as well as a comprehensive computer lab, a driver's education program, a marine science program, and an agricultural/horticultural program, utilizing two greenhouses. We promote a no nonsense approach to education, discipline, and truancy. The related services available include; speech/language, remedial reading and counseling.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS
SCHOOL DAY: 8:30 am - 2:15 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

Approved In-State Private Schools for the Disabled

COUNTY: CUMBERLAND
SCHOOL NAME: DEVEREUX CENTER FOR AUTISM, N.J.
186 ROADSTOWN ROAD
BRIDGETON, NJ 08302

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (856) 455-7200 **FAX:** (856) 455-2765
CONTACT PERSON: SUSAN KEFFER
TITLE: PRINCIPAL

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	8	07-21

Program Description

Devereux New Jersey Center for Autism (NJCA) serves students ages 7-21 who are classified as multiply disabled, with autism as the primary diagnosis. NJCA has eight self contained classrooms, each with a certified teacher of the handicapped and one or more aides. The NJCA staff also consists of a school psychologist, school nurse, a school social worker, and three behavior analysts. Speech and language services, occupational therapy and physical therapy are available as related services. The program also provides students with various community and vocational exposure experiences. An extended school year is available.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL with RESIDENTIAL COMPONENT
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

Approved In-State Private Schools for the Disabled

COUNTY: CUMBERLAND
SCHOOL NAME: CREATIVE ACHIEVEMENT ACAD-WOOD ST
P.O. BOX 541
120 WOOD STREET
VINELAND, NJ 08360

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (856) 691-6667 **FAX:** (856) 794-3280
CONTACT PERSON: SHARON BRUNO
TITLE: PRINCIPAL

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	12	13-20

Program Description

"TEACHING IS TOUCHING A LIFE FOREVER" Creative Achievement Academy, founded in 1979, educates emotionally disabled students on three campuses: 321 Grape St.; 120 Wood St. in Vineland; and 5627 Lake Road Newfield. Creative Achievement Academy's staff consists of teachers, teaching assistants, social workers, full time principals, a consulting psychiatrist/school physician and fully licensed bus drivers. There is a one to three staff to student ratio in each classroom. Related services include speech/language, and occupational therapy.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS
SCHOOL DAY: 8:30 am - 2:00 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

Approved In-State Private Schools for the Disabled

COUNTY: CUMBERLAND
SCHOOL NAME: CREATIVE ACHIEVEMENT ACAD-GRAPE ST
P.O. BOX 541
321 GRAPE STREET
VINELAND, NJ 08360

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (856) 691-1775 **FAX:** (856) 856-2948
CONTACT PERSON: MR. EDWARD ARMATO
TITLE: PRINCIPAL

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	8	05-15

Program Description

"TEACHING IS TOUCHING A LIFE FOREVER" Creative Achievement Academy, founded in 1979, educates emotionally disabled students on three campuses: 321 Grape St.; 120 Wood St. in Vineland; and 5627 Lake Road Newfield. Creative Achievement Academy's staff consists of teachers, teaching assistants, social workers, full time principals, a consulting psychiatrist/school physician and fully licensed bus drivers. There is a one to three staff to student ratio in each classroom. Related services include speech/language, and occupational therapy.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS
SCHOOL DAY: 8:10 am - 2:45 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

Approved In-State Private Schools for the Disabled

COUNTY: CUMBERLAND

SCHOOL NAME: CREATIVE ACHIEVEMENT ACADEMY I V

42 WEST AVENUE
42 WEST AVENUE
VINELAND, NJ 08362

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (856) 691-1775

FAX: (856) 794-3280

CONTACT PERSON: SHARON BRUNO

TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	1	12-16
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	1	10-14
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	1	06-10

Program Description

NOT SUBMITTED

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL

LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION

SCHOOL DAY:

Last updated 03-Jun-03

Approved In-State Private Schools for the Disabled

COUNTY: ESSEX

SCHOOL NAME: 1ST CEREBRAL PALSY OF NEW JERSEY

7 SANFORD AVENUE
BELLEVILLE, NJ 07109

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (973) 751-0200

FAX: (973) 751-4635

CONTACT PERSON: PETER KURTZ

TITLE: EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	10	05-21
PRESCHOOL DISABILITIES	2	05-10

Program Description

The School Program is divided into the Preschool, Primary, Intermediate and Upper Schools. These programs have been developed to implement the student's IEP in an environment which addresses individual needs of children with physical disabilities. Physical, Occupational and Speech Therapies are intrinsic parts of the educational program. The preschool program, provides a preschool curriculum in a full-day setting. The program includes readiness skills and sensory stimulation. The Primary School for students 5 to 9 years of age and the Intermediate School for students 9 to 13 years of age, emphasize both traditional academics and functional learning skills, while preparing students for inclusion in regular school or progression to our Transition Program. The Upper School for students 14 to 21 years of age, emphasizes successful transition to adult life, utilizing a functional curriculum which incorporates academics into career preparation, community participation and independent living.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL

LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION

SCHOOL DAY: 8:40 am - 3:00 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

Approved In-State Private Schools for the Disabled

COUNTY: ESSEX
SCHOOL NAME: ST. ANTHONY SPECIAL ED. SCHOOL
100 LINDEN AVENUE
IRVINGTON, NJ 07111

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (973) 351-2811 **FAX:** (973) 351-9714
CONTACT PERSON: PATRICIA KLING
TITLE: PRINCIPAL

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	4	10-20

Program Description

St. Anthony's focuses on fostering the optimal development of students with behavioral disabilities by addressing areas that will best prepare them for happy and productive lives. At St. Anthony's, there is a commitment to providing quality education and diversified exposure to work readiness and vocational opportunities in the community. Counseling, medical and physical assistance are administered according to the needs of the individual student, as expressed in the IEP.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS
SCHOOL DAY: 8:00 am - 2:25 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

Approved In-State Private Schools for the Disabled

COUNTY: ESSEX
SCHOOL NAME: THERAPEUTIC SCHOOL AND PRESCHOOL
570 BELLEVILLE AVENUE
BELLEVILLE, NJ 07109

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (973) 450-3123 **FAX:** (973) 450-3025
CONTACT PERSON: ELIZABETH CALLAHAN
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
AUTISM	2	10-14
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	1	10-14
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	5	05-14
PRESCHOOL DISABILITIES	2	03-05

Program Description

The Therapeutic School and Preschool of Community Health Network was established in 1971, becoming the first approved preschool for children with disabilities in Essex County. A psychotherapeutic approach, including applied behavior analysis, individual play therapy and a specialized reading program allow cognitive, emotional and social growth. Computers, internet access, family support and part-time inclusion assist children returning to the public schools. An enrollment of 70 children, served by 50 staff members, offers a high staff to pupil ratio.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 8:30 am - 2:00 pm

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COUNTY: ESSEX
SCHOOL NAME: CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER, INC.
60 WEST STREET
BLOOMFIELD, NJ 07003

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (973) 429-8110 **FAX:** (973) 680-9650
CONTACT PERSON: CLARA LITOVSKY, M.A.
TITLE: CHIEF SCHOOL ADMINISTRATOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	16	05-21

Program Description

Child Development Center, established in 1973, serves youngsters aged 5-21 with behavioral and learning disabilities. We strive to help youngsters reach their full potential by strengthening academic and social skills through a comprehensive program of therapeutic and educational interventions. We offer individual counseling to students and parents, and we provide bilingual services for Hispanic families.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS
SCHOOL DAY: 9:15 am - 2:15 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

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COUNTY: ESSEX
SCHOOL NAME: WASHINGTON ACADEMY
520 POMTON AVENUE
CEDAR GROVE, NJ 07009

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (973) 239-6555 **FAX:** (973) 239-6335
CONTACT PERSON: JACK SCHWARTZ
TITLE: EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	12	06-18

Program Description

Washington Academy serves a broad spectrum of students with behavioral, neurological and learning disabilities. The environment at Washington Academy is exceptionally nurturing and well structured. The school employs three full time master of social work counselors, for effective clinical intervention. Washington Academy regards reading skill acquisition and development of language skills as daily instructional priorities. A full ninety minutes of direct instruction, in small structured groups, is designed to meet the individual needs of each student.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS
SCHOOL DAY: 8:30 am - 2:00 pm

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COUNTY: ESSEX
SCHOOL NAME: ESSEX VALLEY SCHOOL
ONE HENDERSON DRIVE
WEST CALDWELL, NJ 07006

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

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CONTACT PERSON: DEENA SCHWARTZMAN
TITLE: EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	10	12-20

Program Description

Essex Valley School, a private, nonprofit, co-ed school for students classified with behavioral disorders, has been operating since 1975. Our curriculum is comprehensive and offers courses that will enable students to fulfill the requirements for graduation. The counseling program features individual and group sessions targeting topics such as conflict resolution and anger management. A positively based behavior modification program is used to build confidence, self esteem and reinforce positive actions.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS
SCHOOL DAY: 8:50 am 2:00 pm

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COUNTY: ESSEX
SCHOOL NAME: THE HORIZON SCHOOL
51 OLD ROAD
LIVINGSTON, NJ 07039

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (973) 740-2353 **FAX:** (973) 740-8618
CONTACT PERSON: ALEXIS PILIERI
TITLE: ED SVCS DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	11	05-21
PRESCHOOL DISABILITIES	5	03-05

Program Description

The philosophy of the Horizon School is to provide an environment of nurturance and enthusiasm, to allow our children to function as independently as possible. We offer a comprehensive and integrated program for students with multiple disabilities, ages 5-21. Students receive a full educational program as well as therapeutic components in speech, occupational therapy and physical therapy. We provide full time nurses and offer medical clinics in various specialties.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 9:00 am - 2:30 pm

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COUNTY: ESSEX
SCHOOL NAME: GLENVIEW ACADEMY
24 DWIGHT PLACE
FAIRFIELD, NJ 07004

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (973) 808-1998 **FAX:** (973) 227-8626
CONTACT PERSON: DAVID WEEKS
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	5	05-15
LEARNING/LANGUAGE DISORDERS- SEVERE	1	08-12
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	1	10-14
PRESCHOOL DISABILITIES	3	03-05

Program Description

Glenview Academy maintains a supportive, family atmosphere while promoting and nurturing students' academic and emotional needs. Educational services are provided for students with Autism, PDD and similar developmental disabilities. A full day Preschool program, known as New Beginnings, is designed for children with autism, PDD, and similar developmental disabilities. It provides an eclectic, multi-faceted curriculum, as well as outreach services for both families and students. A "leading edge" school, Glenview provides every school aged student a personal computer with which to do his/her daily work. Like its sister school, The Gramon School, Glenview regularly undergoes the rigorous self-study and self-renewal necessary to maintain accreditation by the Middlestates Association of Colleges and Schools.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 8:30 am - 2:30 pm

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COUNTY: ESSEX
SCHOOL NAME: GRAMON SCHOOL
24 DWIGHT PLACE
FAIRFIELD, NJ 07004

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

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CONTACT PERSON: DAVID WEEKS
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	5	05-18
LEARNING/LANGUAGE DISORDERS- SEVERE	1	05-09

Program Description

The Gramon School helps pupils with behavioral disabilities to acquire the skills, confidence and initiative necessary for them to learn, grow and assume their rightful positions within the mainstream of their communities. A "leading edge" school, Gramon provides every student with a personal computer and work station with which he or she completes daily classwork in the context of a supportive family-like atmosphere. Like its sister school Glenview Academy, Gramon regularly undergoes the rigorous self study and self renewal, necessary to maintain accreditation by the Middlestates Association of Colleges and Schools.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

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COUNTY: ESSEX
SCHOOL NAME: ST. LEO'S CENTER
100 LINDEN AVENUE
IRVINGTON, NJ 07111

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (973) 351-2800 **FAX:** (973) 372-3401
CONTACT PERSON: SISTER ANNE ROSALIE
TITLE: PRINCIPAL

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	3	14-18

Program Description

St. Leo's Center is serving emotionally disturbed high school students between the ages of 14-18 years of age. It is a therapeutic program which addresses the psychological, social, emotional, academic and career orientation needs of the student.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/EXTENDED YEAR
SCHOOL DAY: 8:00 am to 2:30 pm

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COUNTY: ESSEX
SCHOOL NAME: CHILDREN'S INSTITUTE
1 SUNSET AVENUE
VERONA, NJ 07044

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

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CONTACT PERSON: BRUCE ETTINGER
TITLE: EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
AUTISM	2	05-18
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	16	05-16
PRESCHOOL DISABILITIES	1	03-05

Program Description

The Children's Institute, provides comprehensive educational and therapeutic services, as well as an extended school year program. We serve children with a wide range of disabilities, including behavioral disabilities, attention deficit disorders, learning disabilities, autism and pervasive developmental delays. TCI's new 45,000 square foot "state-of-the-art" facility includes: a multi-sensory room; updated computer and multi-media rooms are networked with all classrooms and are internet ready; an art studio; a spacious gymnasium; a music suite; a science lab; expanded career education areas and a fully equipped apartment for life skills training.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 8:45 am - 2:45 pm

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COUNTY: ESSEX

SCHOOL NAME: A.R.C. ESSEX CO. STEPPING STONES

C/O TRINITY COVENANT CHURCH
343 EAST CEDAR STREET
LIVINGSTON, NJ 07039

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

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FAX: (973) 992-8368

CONTACT PERSON: JUDITH BELLINA

TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
COGNITIVELY IMPAIRED - MILD	1	06-09
PRESCHOOL DISABILITIES	3	03-05

Program Description

In operation for over 25 years, Stepping Stones is an innovative learning program for children with educational disabilities. The program uses methods developed by Stanley Greenspan and is based upon sensory integration. Our goal is to provide, through our transdisciplinary team of teachers and therapists, on-going opportunities for each student to achieve success in the development of his or her cognitive, physical, social and self-help skills.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL

LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS

SCHOOL DAY: 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

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COUNTY: ESSEX
SCHOOL NAME: MILTON SCHOOL
119 MAIN STREET
MILLBURN, NJ 07041

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (973) 379-7172 **FAX:** (973) 379-4464
CONTACT PERSON: ANNE SHERWOOD
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	5	12-19

Program Description

The Milton School provides an academic program geared to fulfilling high school requirements and course requirements for college-bound students. Courses include, but are not limited to, English, Foreign Language, Computer Science, Chemistry, Basic Skills, Algebra I and II, Geometry, Pre-calculus, US History I and II, Economics, Crafts, and Visual Arts. Counseling, by a school psychologist, is available.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS
SCHOOL DAY: 8:30 am - 2:00 pm

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COUNTY: ESSEX
SCHOOL NAME: DERON SCHOOL OF N.J., INC., II
130 GROVE STREET
MONTCLAIR, NJ 07042

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (973) 509-2777 **FAX:** (973) 509-2515
CONTACT PERSON: KENNETH A. ALTER
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	1	13-17
COGNITIVELY IMPAIRED-MODERATE	6	13-21
COGNITIVELY IMPAIRED-SEVERE	2	13-21
LEARNING/LANGUAGE DISORDERS- MILD TO MODERATE	2	13-21
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	8	13-21

Program Description

Deron II offers a continuum of secondary programs for students who exhibit a wide range of disabilities, learning styles and behaviors. Students participate in a variety of inter scholastic sports and enrichment classes. Emphasis is placed on academics, life skills, behavior modification and transition planning. Related services are offered by health, speech, social work and psychology professionals. Provision is available for individual aides, occupational therapy and physical therapy. Deron opened in 1967, and is accredited by the Middle States Association.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 8:45 am -2:30 pm

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COUNTY: ESSEX
SCHOOL NAME: SAWTELLE LEARNING CENTER
208 SOUTH MOUNTAIN AVENUE
MONTCLAIR, NJ 07042

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

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CONTACT PERSON: CAROLYN G. GALLAGHER
TITLE: CHIEF SCH ADMINISTRATOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
AUTISM	15	05-21

Program Description

The Virginia Harkness Sawtelle Learning Center serves students ranging in age from 5-21 with autism or pervasive developmental disabilities. The educational program uses a highly structured behavior based approach. Instructional areas include speech and language development and socialization, play skills, self help, fine and gross motor skill acquisition and academics. The upper school incorporates a functional life skills program, which promotes independence.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 9:00 am - 2:30 pm

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COUNTY: ESSEX
SCHOOL NAME: ST. PATRICK'S SPECIAL ED. SCHOOL
CATHOLIC COMMUNITY SERVICES
72 CENTRAL AVENUE
NEWARK, NJ 07102

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (973) 643-6772 **FAX:** (973) 643-7625
CONTACT PERSON: ANNE BOYD-HINTON
TITLE: PRINCIPAL

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	7	05-16
COGNITIVELY IMPAIRED - MILD	1	05-09
LEARNING/LANGUAGE DISORDERS- MILD TO MODERATE	2	05-16
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	1	05-09

Program Description

St. Patrick's School leads students toward maximal capacity for development-academically, socially and emotionally. The school provides programs for students aged 5-16. A behavior modification system, supplemented by multiple support services emphasizes social, emotional, and behaviorial growth skills.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS
SCHOOL DAY: 8:45 am - 2:10 pm

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COUNTY: ESSEX
SCHOOL NAME: MT. CARMEL GUILD PRESCHOOL
10 COMMERCE COURT
NEWARK, NJ 07102

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (973) 639-6622 **FAX:** (973) 639-6626
CONTACT PERSON: KATHARINE L. THORNTON
TITLE: PRINCIPAL

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
PRESCHOOL DISABILITIES	6	03-05

Program Description

The Mt. Carmel Guild Preschool, established in 1995, is a private non-profit school operated by Catholic Community Services. All services mandated by a child's IEP are available on-site. Services offered include: speech-language therapy, audiology, play therapy, occupational therapy and physical therapy. A full-time staff of 27 can accommodate up to 50 students.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 8:30 am - 2:00 pm

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COUNTY: ESSEX

SCHOOL NAME: BANYAN SCHOOL

12 HOLLYWOOD AVENUE
FAIRFIELD, NJ 07004

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

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FAX: (973) 439-1396

CONTACT PERSON: MARALYN FIELDING

TITLE: DIRECTOR

Class Type

Number of Classes

Age Range

LEARNING/LANGUAGE DISORDERS-
MILD TO MODERATE

14

06-14

Program Description

Banyan School is a non-profit elementary and middle school for students with average to above average intelligence. Typically, we serve students whose academic success has been compromised by one or more learning disabilities, often demonstrated in the functional challenges of: dyslexia, attention deficit, visual/spatial processing, fine/gross motor coordination, auditory processing, short/long term memory, reading de-coding and comprehension, organization/study skills and social skills acquisition.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL

LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION

SCHOOL DAY: 8:45 am - 3:00 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

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COUNTY: ESSEX
SCHOOL NAME: PHOENIX CENTER
16 MONSIGNOR OWENS PLACE
NUTLEY, NJ 07110

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (973) 542-0743 **FAX:** (973) 542-0687
CONTACT PERSON: DR. GERALDINE A. GIBBIA
TITLE: DIRECTOR

Program Description

NOT SUBMITTED

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 9:00 am - 2:30 pm

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COUNTY: ESSEX

SCHOOL NAME: LAKESIDE SCHOOL

123 CLEVELAND STREET
ORANGE, NJ 07050

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

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FAX: (973) 678-8222

CONTACT PERSON: ANTHONY BYRNE

TITLE: PRINCIPAL

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
AUDITORY IMPAIRMENTS	1	14-20
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	2	14-20
COGNITIVELY IMPAIRED - MILD	3	14-20
COGNITIVELY IMPAIRED-MODERATE	3	14-20
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	1	14-20

Program Description

The Lakeside School is dedicated to the development and maximization of each student's abilities, talents and interests. These goals are accomplished through structured learning centers which focus on real life experiences. The School is committed to preparing students for the post school challenges of employment, independent problem solving, critical thinking and a satisfying social life in the community.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL

LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION

SCHOOL DAY: 8:15 am - 2:50 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

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COUNTY: ESSEX

SCHOOL NAME: ALL CAN EXCEL (A.C.E.)

71 SANFORD STREET
EAST ORANGE, NJ 07017

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

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FAX: (973) 412-1449

CONTACT PERSON: SHAKUUR SABUUR

TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	2	07-16
LEARNING/LANGUAGE DISORDERS- MILD TO MODERATE	2	08-16

Program Description

All Can Excel (A.C.E.) Academy strives to improve the quality of life for all of the children we touch, through the excellence of our instructional programs, the superiority of our educationally related services and the care provided by our professional staff, in a nurturing school environment. A.C.E. offers an educational program committed to a comprehensive treatment approach for children in grades 3-12. A.C.E. implements a dynamic innovative approach to serving special needs students within a highly structured and professionally supervised educational environment.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL

LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS

SCHOOL DAY: 8:30 am - 2:30 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

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COUNTY: GLOUCESTER
SCHOOL NAME: ARCHBISHOP DAMIANO SCHOOL
1145 DELSEA DRIVE
WESTVILLE GROVE, NJ 08094

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (856) 848-4700 **FAX:** (856) 848-3965
CONTACT PERSON: KATHLEEN FLYNN
TITLE: PRINCIPAL

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
COGNITIVELY IMPAIRED-MODERATE	18	05-21
COGNITIVELY IMPAIRED-SEVERE	3	05-21
PRESCHOOL DISABILITIES	2	03-05

Program Description

Archbishop Damiano is located in Westville Grove, Gloucester County, NJ. ADS serves students ages 3 through 21, with moderate to severe cognitive disabilities. Our special education pre-school, elementary, middle and secondary programs help students to be capable of living, working and recreating in a community environment.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

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COUNTY: GLOUCESTER
SCHOOL NAME: Y.A.L.E. SCHOOL, INC.
WILLIAMSTOWN CAMPUS
300 N. BLACKHORSE PIKE
WILLIAMSTOWN, NJ 08094

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (856) 629-1811 **FAX:** (856) 629-9629
CONTACT PERSON: ROSEMARIE SARANDOULIAS
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	4	05-20
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	1	14-18

Program Description

An individualized program of educational and support services is provided to students classified "eligible for special education and related services" who have behavioral disorders and multiple disabilities, inclusive of specific learning disabilities. Instructional strategies include direct instruction, fluency training and the Wilson Reading Program. Support services include individual, family and group counseling, social skills training, occupational therapy, physical therapy and speech/language therapy. A psychiatrist and reading specialist provide staff consultation.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS
SCHOOL DAY: 8:45 am - 2:15 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

Approved In-State Private Schools for the Disabled

COUNTY: GLOUCESTER
SCHOOL NAME: CREATIVE ACHIEVEMENT ACADEMY AT LAKE ROAD
5627 LAKE ROAD
NEWFIELD, NJ 08344-5214

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

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CONTACT PERSON: SHEILA FRASNELLI
TITLE: PRINCIPAL

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	2	08-12
LEARNING/LANGUAGE DISORDERS- MILD TO MODERATE	1	13-17
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	1	13-15

Program Description

The Creative Achievement Academy, founded in 1979, educates emotionally disturbed students on three campuses: 321 Grape Street and 120 Wood Street in Vineland; and at Lake Road in Newfield. Our staff consists of teachers, social workers, a consulting psychiatrist, teacher assistants and bus drivers. A 1 to 3 staff to student ratio is maintained in each class.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS
SCHOOL DAY: 7:45 am - 4:00 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

Approved In-State Private Schools for the Disabled

COUNTY: GLOUCESTER
SCHOOL NAME: ARCHWAY - WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP
1 NEPTUNE DRIVE
SEWELL, NJ 08080

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (856) 582-3900 **FAX:** (856) 582-3663
CONTACT PERSON: PAUL LEONARDI
TITLE: PRINCIPAL

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	4	05-16
COGNITIVELY IMPAIRED - MILD	1	05-16
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	6	06-10

Program Description

Archway School is a non-profit educational institution that offers an innovative, interdisciplinary program for special needs students whose varied exceptionalities range from moderate to severe educational disability. Our goal is to assist students to develop the capacity for continuous learning, while acquiring the functional skills necessary to adapt to society's changing demands.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 8:40 am - 2:40 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

Approved In-State Private Schools for the Disabled

COUNTY: GLOUCESTER

SCHOOL NAME: BANCROFT SCHOOL, GRENLOCH

251 WOODBURY-TURNERSVILLE ROAD
SEWELL, NJ 08080

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

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FAX: (856) 429-4723

CONTACT PERSON: THOMAS RYAN

TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
PRESCHOOL DISABILITIES	1	03-05
PRESCHOOL DISABILITIES	2	03-05

Program Description

NOT SUBMITTED

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL

LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS

SCHOOL DAY: 9:00 am - 2:30 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

Approved In-State Private Schools for the Disabled

COUNTY: GLOUCESTER
SCHOOL NAME: C.P.C. - GLOUCESTER & SALEM COUNTIES
610 HOLLYDELL DRIVE
HURFFVILLE, NJ 08080

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (856) 582-5151 **FAX:** (856) 582-5055
CONTACT PERSON: GRACEANNE H. RYAN
TITLE: EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	6	05-21
PRESCHOOL DISABILITIES	2	03-05

Program Description

The Center, which is fully accessible, serves individuals ranging in age from three through twenty-one, with physical and medical disabilities, in a warm and nurturing environment. Services include OT, PT, speech/language therapy, community based and academic instruction as well as sensory integration activities, augmentative communication systems, mobility training, environmental switches and fully adapted computer systems in each classroom. Staff ratio in each classroom is at least 3:1. The Center is a United Way agency, serving individuals in a 5 county region.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 9:00 am - 2:45 pm

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COUNTY: GLOUCESTER
SCHOOL NAME: DURAND ACADEMY, INC.
230 N. EVERGREEN AVENUE
WOODBURY, NJ 08096

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (856) 845-0666 **FAX:** (856) 845-7659
CONTACT PERSON: RAYMOND CRISTOFOLETTI
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
AUTISM	2	05-14
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	6	05-14

Program Description

Durand Academy began in 1972 as part of a mental health program. The school program has grown over the years and now serves approximately 70 students, ages 5-14, who are autistic or multiply disabled. Individualized academic instruction, discrete trial teaching, individualized behavioral programs, counseling, speech therapy, adaptive physical education and occupational therapy are available to students.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 8:30 am - 2:30 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

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COUNTY: HUDSON

SCHOOL NAME: ST. JOSEPH'S SCHOOL FOR THE BLIND

253 BALDWIN AVENUE
JERSEY CITY, NJ 07306

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (201) 653-0578

FAX: (201) 653-4087

CONTACT PERSON: HERBERT MILLER

TITLE: ADMINISTRATOR

Class Type

VISUAL IMPAIRMENTS

Number of Classes

10

Age Range

05-21

Program Description

St. Joseph's School for the Blind, the only school for the blind in New Jersey, has served students with blindness, visual impairment and accompanying disabilities, for over 100 years. The multiplicity of disabilities presented, necessitates individualized and specialized treatment and instructional approaches by duly certified teachers and therapists. St. Joseph's School for the Blind is accredited by Middle States Association of Colleges and Schools, and has been recognized by professional organizations as a national model program.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL with RESIDENTIAL COMPONENT

LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION

SCHOOL DAY: 8:30 am - 3:00 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

Approved In-State Private Schools for the Disabled

COUNTY: ESSEX
SCHOOL NAME: MT. CARMEL GUILD SCHOOL
25 NORTH 7TH STREET
BELLEVILLE, NJ 07109

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (973) 844-3700 **FAX:** (973) 751-3929
CONTACT PERSON: JOHN KOBUS
TITLE: PRINCIPAL

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	6	06-14

Program Description

Mt. Carmel Guild addresses the needs of the whole child. It is a comprehensive academic setting with a well delineated behavior modification system for students with mild to moderate behavioral and learning disabilities. The program features the availability of substantial support services, including medical, counseling, nutrition consultation, speech/language therapy, and crisis intervention.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 8:30 am - 2:15 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

Approved In-State Private Schools for the Disabled

COUNTY: HUDSON
SCHOOL NAME: YOUTH CONSULTATION SERVICES - KEARNY
100 DAVIS AVENUE
KEARNY, NJ 07032

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (973) 744-0615 **FAX:** (201) 968-1823
CONTACT PERSON: BARBARA MARKELL
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
AUTISM	2	06-10

Program Description

Sawtelle Learning Center, Kearny Annex is a program designed to meet the educational needs of students presenting within the autism spectrum, in a regular education building. The program is housed in the Franklin School, within the Kearny Public School District. The program is designed to help maintain students from Kearny and surrounding districts, in their neighborhood schools. The program is based on Applied Behavioral Analysis and is structured in a behavioral framework. The program offers speech and language therapy, occupational therapy and both cognitive and functional programming. There is a 2:1 teacher/student ratio for all classes.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS
SCHOOL DAY: 9:00 am - 2:30 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

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COUNTY: HUDSON
SCHOOL NAME: NORTH HUDSON ACADEMY
4511 LIBERTY AVENUE
P.O. BOX 390
NORTH BERGEN, NJ 07047

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (201) 865-9577 **FAX:** (201) 865-0183
CONTACT PERSON: DENNIS P. Mc CARTHY
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	8	06-21

Program Description

Therapeutic and instructional needs are met within a structured, supportive and enriching environment. The therapeutic staff includes a psychologist, licensed clinical social worker, art therapists, a school nurse, and a consulting psychiatrist. A wide range of interventions are applied, including "adventure counseling". Classes are fully departmentalized. A reading specialist, speech therapist, and a school-wide network of state-of-the-art Pentium computers supplement instruction. The School has been Middle States accredited since 1994.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS
SCHOOL DAY: 8:30 am - 2:00 pm

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COUNTY: HUDSON
SCHOOL NAME: YOUTH CONSULTATION SERVICES - MAY ACADEMY
ERNEST M. MAY ACADEMY
36 EMORY STREET
JERSEY CITY, NJ 07304

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (201) 209-9070 **FAX:** (201) 332-4918
CONTACT PERSON: CLARE D. BURKE
TITLE: PRINCIPAL

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	9	05-15

Program Description

YCS May Academy is a special education program for emotionally disturbed students, ages five through twelve. We offer a strong therapeutic component and strong behavior management system. YCS has provided academic programs in Hudson County since 1975. Our students regularly win academic awards in science and the arts.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS
SCHOOL DAY: 8:45 am - 2:00 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

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COUNTY: HUNTERDON

SCHOOL NAME: SPRING RUN SCHOOL

11 MINNEAKONING ROAD
FLEMINGTON, NJ 08822

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (908) 782-1480

FAX: (908) 782-5370

CONTACT PERSON: RICHARD HOROWITZ

TITLE: PRINCIPAL

Class Type

MULTIPLE DISABILITIES

Number of Classes

2

Age Range

14-21

Program Description

The Spring Run School was established in 1984, and is a division of The Center for Educational Advancement. The student body is comprised of developmentally disabled students, 16 to 20 years of age, who are classified in accordance with New Jersey state regulations. Students are referred by boards of education from a seven county area surrounding the Center, and are enrolled in the school's academic program for four hours each day. The other two hours are spent in Career Exploration, which is comprised of job training and off campus job sampling in the Center's career clusters.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL

LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/EXTENDED YEAR OPTION

SCHOOL DAY: PARTIAL DAY SESSIONS

Last updated 03-Jun-03

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COUNTY: HUNTERDON
SCHOOL NAME: HUNTERDON LEARNING CENTER
37 HOFFMANS CROSSING ROAD
CALIFON, NJ 07830

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (908) 832-7200 **FAX:** (908) 832-9772
CONTACT PERSON: TOBY RAY LOYD
TITLE: EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	9	12-18

Program Description

The Hunterdon Learning Center serves students with special needs, by providing integrated learning experiences. Group and individual counseling are available in both informal and formal settings. Speech and language services are also available. Other special optional features include special interest elective courses and daytime and overnight extra curricular activities. The school also offers an innovative music and art instructional program, and computer/technology course offerings. Hunterdon Learning Center is accredited by the Middle States Association of Colleges and Schools.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS
SCHOOL DAY: 9:00 am - 2:15 pm

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COUNTY: MERCER
SCHOOL NAME: DELAWARE VALLEY SCHOOL
FOR EXCEPTIONAL CHILDREN
87 PEARSON DRIVE
HAMILTON, NJ 08610

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (609) 888-0101 **FAX:** (609) 888-2370
CONTACT PERSON: JAMES CALDERONE, Ed.D.
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	3	12-21

Program Description

Established in 1972, Delaware Valley School is a small private school for students with learning/behavioral disabilities. Our philosophy is predicated upon reality therapy, emphasizing student accountability. Our program offers a student to staff ratio of 2:1, positive reinforcement, modeling of learning strategies, organizational assistance, individualized counseling, alternative teaching strategies, conflict resolution, peer mediation and a non-competitive, but structured environment. Supportive services include: vocational/pre-vocational services, counseling and various recreational activities.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS
SCHOOL DAY: 8:30 am - 2:30 pm

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COUNTY: MERCER
SCHOOL NAME: TITUSVILLE ACADEMY, THE
86 RIVER DRIVE
TITUSVILLE, NJ 08560

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (609) 737-7733 **FAX:** (609) 737-3343
CONTACT PERSON: DEBORAH R. ZERBIB
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	8	05-18

Program Description

The Titusville Academy, founded in 1971, provides a non-competitive individualized educational experience for students with behavioral and/or learning disabilities between the ages of 5 and 18. We offer self-contained and departmentalized educational programs, utilizing fully certified special educators, clinical social workers and state-of-the-art computer technology.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS
SCHOOL DAY: 8:30 am - 2:30 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

Approved In-State Private Schools for the Disabled

COUNTY: MERCER

SCHOOL NAME: PRINCETON CHILD DEVELOPMENT INST.

300 COLD SOIL ROAD
PRINCETON, NJ 08540

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (609) 924-6280

FAX: (609) 924-4119

CONTACT PERSON: EDWARD C. FENSKE

TITLE: ED. PROG. COORD.

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
AUTISM	4	05-21
COGNITIVELY IMPAIRED-MODERATE	3	05-21
PRESCHOOL DISABILITIES	1	03-05

Program Description

The Princeton Child Development Institute, founded in 1970, is a private, non-profit program that offers a broad spectrum of science-based services to children and youths with autism. Individualized education and treatment programs are delivered by professionally trained staff, who document the effectiveness of intervention through collection and analysis of objective measures of student performance.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL

LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION

SCHOOL DAY: 8:45 am - 2:45 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

Approved In-State Private Schools for the Disabled

COUNTY: MERCER
SCHOOL NAME: CHILDREN'S DAY SCHOOL
OF THE FAMILY GUIDANCE CENTER
1925 PENNINGTON ROAD
TRENTON, NJ 08618

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (609) 882-2288 **FAX:** (609) 695-3591
CONTACT PERSON: JAMES M. RIGEL
TITLE: DIRECTOR/PRINCIPAL

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
AUTISM	1	12-16
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	2	07-14
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	5	06-12

Program Description

Children's Day School is a small non-profit K-8 school for students with learning and behavioral disabilities. The school provides a highly structured non-competitive academic environment. Children's Day School also provides a safe, small group treatment setting, which addresses the emotional and behavioral factors that interfere with student learning and emotional growth. Related services available are: individual and group counseling; family support; speech therapy; occupational therapy and psychiatric consultation.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 8:00 am - 2:30 pm

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Approved In-State Private Schools for the Disabled

COUNTY: MERCER

SCHOOL NAME: NEWGRANGE SCHOOL
526 SOUTH OLDEN AVENUE
HAMILTON, NJ 08629

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (609) 584-1800 **FAX:** (609) 584-6166

CONTACT PERSON: GORDON F. SHERMAN

TITLE: EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
LEARNING/LANGUAGE DISORDERS- MILD TO MODERATE	7	08-18

Program Description

The Newgrange School, established in 1977, provides a full curriculum, in an atmosphere which fosters self confidence. Our student body consists of pupils ages 8 through 18, who are of average or above average intelligence, with specific learning disabilities. A multi-sensory, highly structured course of instruction is tailored for each student. Individualized instruction is provided in all language arts areas, and in mathematics. All other curricular areas are addressed through small group instruction.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL

LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS

SCHOOL DAY: 8:15 am - 2:15 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

Approved In-State Private Schools for the Disabled

COUNTY: MERCER
SCHOOL NAME: SISTER GEORGINE SCHOOL
544 CHESTNUT AVENUE
TRENTON, NJ 08611

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (609) 396-5444 **FAX:** (609) 396-0989
CONTACT PERSON: SR. BARBARA FURST
TITLE: PRINCIPAL

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
COGNITIVELY IMPAIRED-MODERATE	3	08-20

Program Description

Sister Georgine School was founded in 1969 by the late Sr. Georgine Wohnhaas. The school's curriculum is designed to meet the special needs and interests of the students. It places emphasis on knowledge and skills, which are critical for personal independence and productive living. Programs include reading-readiness, functional academics, life skills, transition planning, pre vocational and work skills. Classes consist of 4 to 8 students with a certified special education teacher and a teacher aide. Related services available include speech, occupation therapy, physical therapy, and counseling.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS
SCHOOL DAY: 8:30 am - 2:30 pm

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Approved In-State Private Schools for the Disabled

COUNTY: MERCER
SCHOOL NAME: EDEN INSTITUTE, INC.
ONE LOGAN DRIVE
PRINCETON, NJ 08540

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (609) 987-0099 **FAX:** (609) 987-0243
CONTACT PERSON: DAVID L. HOLMES, Ed.D.
TITLE: EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
AUTISM	7	06-21
PRESCHOOL DISABILITIES	1	03-05

Program Description

Eden Institute, founded in 1975, serves children and adolescents with autism and developmental disabilities from the ages of three through twenty-one. The teacher student ration is two to one. Our program is based upon applied behavior analysis and a functional curriculum which is individualized for each student. Parent training and home program are available to all of our parents as well.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 9:00 am - 2:30 pm

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COUNTY: MIDDLESEX
SCHOOL NAME: GATEWAY SCHOOL
60 HIGH STREET
CARTERET, NJ 07008

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (732) 541-4400 **FAX:** (732) 541-2557
CONTACT PERSON: LORETTA A. KENNEDY
TITLE: ADMIN. DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
AUTISM	3	05-09
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	10	05-21

Program Description

Gateway School provides an enhanced alternative program for students who require specialized techniques and strategies to meet the following areas of functioning: cognition, life skills, academics, language, visual and auditory perception and fine/gross motor skills. Support, training and communication are hallmarks of our parent involvement programs. Individual parent consultation and monthly group presentations on a variety of topics, including behavior training and transition planning are offered.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 9:00 am - 2:30 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

Approved In-State Private Schools for the Disabled

COUNTY: MIDDLESEX
SCHOOL NAME: HIGH ROAD SCHOOL
11 LEXINGTON AVENUE
EAST BRUNSWICK, NJ 08816

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (732) 238-7700 **FAX:** (732) 238-7868
CONTACT PERSON: DAVID W. WINIKUR, Ed.D.
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	1	12-14
COGNITIVELY IMPAIRED - MILD	1	05-09
COGNITIVELY IMPAIRED-MODERATE	2	09-14
LEARNING/LANGUAGE DISORDERS- MILD TO MODERATE	2	05-14
LEARNING/LANGUAGE DISORDERS- SEVERE	1	05-14
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	3	05-14

Program Description

High Road Lower School specializes in serving students 5 through 14, who face learning, language and social development challenges. The program is designed to focus on the specific learning strengths and needs of each child and offers programs which meet each student at whatever level he or she performs. The following related services are offered: social skills training, counseling, occupational therapy and speech therapy. Small classes, personal attention and a positive learning experience are the hallmarks of the High Road School.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 9:00 am - 2:30 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

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COUNTY: MIDDLESEX
SCHOOL NAME: LAKEVIEW SCHOOL
C.P. ASSOC. OF MIDDLESEX CO.
OAK DRIVE - ROOSEVELT PARK
EDISON, NJ 08837

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (732) 549-5580 **FAX:** (732) 549-4207
CONTACT PERSON: LYNN SIKORSKI
TITLE: EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	17	05-21
PRESCHOOL DISABILITIES	2	03-05

Program Description

The Lakeview School offers a highly individualized curricula, supplemented by special program services in the areas of speech, occupational and physical therapy, augmentative and computer technology, adaptive seating and equipment assessments. Specialized medical clinics, nursing services, vocational training, transition planning and respite services are available. Each class offers a less than 3:1 student to staff ratio. Lakeview School is accredited through the Middle States Association of Colleges and Schools.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

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COUNTY: MIDDLESEX
SCHOOL NAME: YOU AND ME PRESCHOOL
2050 OAK TREE ROAD
EDISON, NJ 08820

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (732) 548-7610 **FAX:** (732) 548-7751
CONTACT PERSON: PATRICIA MUNDAY
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
PRESCHOOL DISABILITIES	3	03-05

Program Description

The school's philosophy is an intensive individualized approach which incorporates language-based, sensory and behavioral strategies within a developmental context. All classrooms are similar in structure utilizing discrete trial, activity-based instruction and incidental teaching with a 2:1 student teacher ratio. Structured and unstructured interactions with non-disabled peers are possible since the school shares a building with a child care center. Occupational and speech therapy, daily access to computers and parent support groups are provided. The school is JCAHO and CARF accredited.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 9:00 am - 2:30 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

Approved In-State Private Schools for the Disabled

COUNTY: MIDDLESEX
SCHOOL NAME: CENTER SCHOOL
319 NORTH THIRD AVENUE
HIGHLAND PARK, NJ 08904

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (732) 249-3355 **FAX:** (732) 249-1928
CONTACT PERSON: JEANNE PRIAL
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	8	06-18
LEARNING/LANGUAGE DISORDERS- MILD TO MODERATE	9	06-18

Program Description

The Center School tailors an individual program to the specific needs of each student and is based on goals and objectives as outlined in his/her IEP. The ultimate goal is to send each student back to his/her school district to enter a program that will allow for maximum mainstreaming, ultimately leading to a successful future and post-school life.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS
SCHOOL DAY: 9:15 am - 2:15 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

Approved In-State Private Schools for the Disabled

COUNTY: MONMOUTH
SCHOOL NAME: HARBOR SCHOOL
240 BROAD STREET
EATONTOWN, NJ 07724

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (732) 544-9394 **FAX:** (732) 544-0245
CONTACT PERSON: V. JEAN STACK
TITLE: DIRECTOR IN CHARGE

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
LEARNING/LANGUAGE DISORDERS- SEVERE	5	05-21
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	7	05-21
PRESCHOOL DISABILITIES	1	03-05

Program Description

Harbor School has been in existence for the past thirty years, serving children with neurological impairments, communication disabilities, multiple disabilities, emotional disability and autism. The educational program focuses on individualized academics, social/behaviorial interventions and functional skills training. Integrated therapy services available are OT, PT, and speech/language services, as well as music therapy and adaptive physical education. Augmentative services available include the following: extended school year; safety patrol; aerobics; gymnastics; swimming; chorus; transitional work program; parent support program; instrumental groups and pre vocational work groups.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 9:00 am - 2:30 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

Approved In-State Private Schools for the Disabled

COUNTY: MONMOUTH
SCHOOL NAME: COLLIER SCHOOL
160 CONOVER ROAD
P.O. BOX 300
WICKATUNK, NJ 07765

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (732) 946-4771 **FAX:** (732) 946-3519
CONTACT PERSON: SR. ELLEN KELLY
TITLE: EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	15	13-19

Program Description

Collier High School offers a departmentalized academic program with a strong counseling component. The school's comprehensive curriculum includes college prep, regular, remedial, and career preparation courses. Individual as well as group counseling is available and supports social and emotional growth. Clubs, activities, and trips round out the educational program and give students extracurricular opportunities similar to those offered in public schools.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS
SCHOOL DAY: 8:50 am - 2:35 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

Approved In-State Private Schools for the Disabled

COUNTY: MONMOUTH
SCHOOL NAME: COASTAL LEARNING CENTER-SOUTH
38 ARNOLD BOULEVARD
HOWELL, NJ 07731

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (732) 367-6663 **FAX:** (732) 364-5905
CONTACT PERSON: JOHN QUINTAGLIE
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	9	06-21

Program Description

The Howell Campus of Coastal Learning Center has been providing specialized educational programs and services for students with educational disability since 1974. Our students range in age from six through twenty-one years. The campus features a gymnasium, garden, aviary, Technology Center and Art Center. The therapeutic environment is supported by five full time counselors, a speech pathologist and a nurse. The campus also employs a full time substance awareness counselor, who provides drug abuse prevention and referral services tied to an intensive drug prevention curriculum.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 8:45 am - 2:45 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

Approved In-State Private Schools for the Disabled

COUNTY: MONMOUTH
SCHOOL NAME: SCHROTH SCHOOL
CP OF MONMOUTH & OCEAN COUNTIES
1701 KNEELEY BLVD.
WANAMASSA, NJ 07712

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (732) 493-5900 **FAX:** (732) 493-5980
CONTACT PERSON: K. DAVID HOLMES
TITLE: EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	9	05-21
PRESCHOOL DISABILITIES	2	03-05

Program Description

The Schroth School, in Monmouth County, sponsored by Cerebral Palsy of Monmouth and Ocean Counties, provides services for students with multiple disabilities, ages 3-21. Individual programs are developed for each student by a transdisciplinary team of teachers, therapists, nurses, social workers, instructional assistants and family members, in conjunction with the placing district Child Study Team. Services include comprehensive educational programs, nursing services, augmentative communication evaluation and training, occupational, physical and speech/language therapies, pre-vocational exploration and training, and rehabilitation technology evaluation and training. Orthopedic, neurology, physiatry, nutrition, and dysphagia clinics are coordinated by the agency in conjunction with area doctors and hospitals to provide access by students to medical assessment and follow-up.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

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COUNTY: MONMOUTH
SCHOOL NAME: C.P.C. HIGH POINT ADOLESCENT SCHOOL
1 HIGH POINT CENTER WAY
MORGANVILLE, NJ 07751

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (732) 591-1750 **FAX:** (732) 591-2516
CONTACT PERSON: SUSAN MITCHELL-DUNN
TITLE: EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	10	11-21
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	2	11-21

Program Description

The Adolescent School meets the academic and therapeutic needs of emotionally disturbed students, with integrated cross-disciplinary programs to improve social and behavioral skills. A wide range of academics, including pre-vocational programs and electives is offered. A strong clinical component features individual, group and family therapy and case management. Psychiatric and substance abuse consultations are available. A full range of speech/language and hearing services are also available. Staff to student ratios are maintained at 1:3.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 9:00 am - 2:30 pm

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Approved In-State Private Schools for the Disabled

COUNTY: MONMOUTH
SCHOOL NAME: C.P.C. HIGH POINT ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
1 HIGH POINT CENTER WAY
MORGANVILLE, NJ 07751

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (732) 591-1750 **FAX:** (732) 591-2516
CONTACT PERSON: SUSAN MITCHELL-DUNN
TITLE: EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	6	05-12
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	2	05-12

Program Description

CPC Highpoint Elementary School was recognized by the US Department of Education, in 1994, as a Blue Ribbon National School of Excellence. Our primary goal is to encourage and facilitate the mainstreaming of students into the least restrictive educational environment, promoting emotional, social and academic growth. A full range of speech/language and clinical services are available to each child and family. In addition to standard academics, all students are exposed to an enrichment program, which fosters higher level thinking skills in all areas. Staff to student ratios are maintained at 1:3.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 9:00 am - 2:00 pm

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COUNTY: MONMOUTH
SCHOOL NAME: COASTAL LEARNING CENTER-NORTH
422 ROUTE 79
MORGANVILLE, NJ 07751

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (732) 591-9550 **FAX:** (732) 591-9561
CONTACT PERSON: ROBERT VISCOMI
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	8	09-18

Program Description

Since 1976, our school has provided a comprehensive placement, designed to foster academic growth and self-responsibility for students who are behaviorally and academically challenged. Our therapeutic environment offers art, computers, chess, physical education and competitive sports. Our counseling staff is involved with the students on an individual, group, and as needed basis, with an emphasis on anger management. With a 3 to 1 student to staff ratio we are able to build relationships that promote social growth.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 8:30 am - 2:15 pm

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COUNTY: MONMOUTH
SCHOOL NAME: CHILDREN'S CENTER OF MONMOUTH CO.
1115 GREEN GROVE ROAD
NEPTUNE, NJ 07753

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (732) 922-0228 **FAX:** (732) 922-8133
CONTACT PERSON: GEORGE SCHEER
TITLE: CHIEF SCHOOL ADMINISTRATOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	46	05-21
PRESCHOOL DISABILITIES	7	03-05

Program Description

Children's Center offers educational programs and related services for students aged 3-21, with autism and multiple disabilities. Children's Center is capable of providing instruction on both functional and developmental levels. Related services are provided by way of a collaborative team model, including speech therapy, occupational therapy and physical therapy.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 9:00 am - 2:30 pm

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COUNTY: MONMOUTH
SCHOOL NAME: SEARCH DAY PROGRAM
73 WICKAPECKO DRIVE
OCEAN, NJ 07712

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (732) 531-0454 **FAX:** (732) 531-5934
CONTACT PERSON: KATHERINE SOLANA
TITLE: EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
AUTISM	7	05-21
PRESCHOOL DISABILITIES	3	03-05

Program Description

Founded in 1971, Search Day Program specializes in the needs of individuals who present within autism spectrum, ages 3-21. We provide a warm, but highly structured program which recognizes the individuality of each student. Emphasis is in the areas of socialization, communication, positive behavioral supports and academics. The school features an excellent staff/student ratio, on-site behaviorists, speech and occupational therapies, adapted physical education, field trips, swimming, home training, transitional planning, job coaching and computer programs. A consulting psychiatrist and psychologist are available.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 8:45 am - 2:45 pm

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COUNTY: MONMOUTH
SCHOOL NAME: A.R.C. DOROTHY B. HERSH HIGH SCHOOL
1158 WAYSIDE ROAD
TINTON FALLS, NJ 07712

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (732) 493-3563 **FAX:** (732) 493-3604
CONTACT PERSON: CAROL PADGITT
TITLE: PRINCIPAL

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
COGNITIVELY IMPAIRED - MILD	1	17-21
COGNITIVELY IMPAIRED-MODERATE	2	13-21

Program Description

The ARC of Monmouth's Dorothy B. Hersh High School serves the educational needs of students with mild to moderate cognitive disabilities. The school's community based curriculum emphasizes vocational training through a broad variety of experiences, in addition to the academic and life skill program. The central goal of the school is to help students to develop the skills and attitudes necessary to function in the adult community.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

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COUNTY: MONMOUTH
SCHOOL NAME: OAKWOOD SCHOOL
62 HANCE AVENUE
TINTON FALLS, NJ 07724

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (732) 747-8746 **FAX:** (732) 933-0545
CONTACT PERSON: ROBERT E. WHITE
TITLE: DIRECTOR/PRINCIPAL

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
LEARNING/LANGUAGE DISORDERS- MILD TO MODERATE	6	11-21

Program Description

Oakwood School was founded by Dr. Arthur J. Newman and Dr. Robert E. White, in 1980. Oakwood School's intimate setting of 46 students and 18 staff members is ideal for educating our population of ADHD and learning disabled adolescents. Instruction is based on New Jersey Core Curriculum Content Standards. A state-of-the-art computer laboratory advances the student's acquisition of technology skills. By maintaining a 3 to 1 student teacher ratio, with 12 certified teachers of the disabled and a variety of support staff, the student is better able to achieve academic success and to develop appropriate social skills and self esteem.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS
SCHOOL DAY: 8:30 am - 2:00 pm

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COUNTY: MONMOUTH
SCHOOL NAME: RUGBY SCHOOL
BELMAR BOULEVARD AND WOODFIELD AVENUE
P.O. BOX 1403
WALL, NJ 07719

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (732) 681-6900 **FAX:** (732) 681-9140
CONTACT PERSON: DONALD J. De SANTO
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	12	06-21
COGNITIVELY IMPAIRED-SEVERE	2	06-14
LEARNING/LANGUAGE DISORDERS- SEVERE	1	06-10
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	1	07-15

Program Description

Rugby is a highly structured, yet innovative program, offering college prep, comprehensive vocational and full clinical services. The specialized program includes photography, music, art, environmental science, creative writing, journalism, work-study opportunities, comprehensive behavior management and art therapy. Learning disabled, emotionally disturbed (including school phobic), ADD, ADHD students are served. Accreditation by Middle States is pending.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 8:45 am - 1:45 pm

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COUNTY: MONMOUTH
SCHOOL NAME: SCHOOL FOR CHILDREN
270 INDUSTRIAL WAY WEST
EATONTOWN, NJ 07724

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (732) 542-2525 **FAX:** (732) 542-2445
CONTACT PERSON: VINCENT J. RENDA
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
LEARNING/LANGUAGE DISORDERS- SEVERE	2	13-21
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	9	05-21
PRESCHOOL DISABILITIES	2	03-05

Program Description

The School is committed to providing an integrated curriculum for students with moderate to severe disabilities, whose educational needs require a specialized school setting. The School offers educational services to students, aged 3-21, in curricular areas that include academics, communication and social skills, job sampling and life skills. Educational programs maximize each student's language, cognitive and functional potential in all aspects of daily life. The School employs a functional academic approach to learning, that actively supports the student in decision-making. Classroom curriculum is developed for Language Arts Literacy, Mathematics, Social Studies, Science, and family life goals. Specialists teach art, music and physical education. The School is dedicated to students' becoming fully expressed, contributing and productive members of their families and communities.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 8:30 am - 2:15 pm

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COUNTY: MONMOUTH
SCHOOL NAME: WOODCLIFF ACADEMY
1345 CAMPUS PARKWAY
WALL, NJ 07753

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (732) 751-0240 **FAX:** (732) 751-0243
CONTACT PERSON: ELIZABETH J. FERRARO
TITLE: PRINCIPAL

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	4	08-18
COGNITIVELY IMPAIRED - MILD	1	06-10
LEARNING/LANGUAGE DISORDERS- SEVERE	2	14-18

Program Description

The Woodcliff Academy, a Middle States accredited school, provides a strong academic program in a safe, structured, nurturing environment. Applied cognitive behavior modification is used to assist students develop positive classroom behaviors that will enable them to re-enter the main stream. Three full time psychologists provide skilled individual and group counseling. Closed circuit television, networked computers and additional technology are used in all classes, by all ages. Please see our web site for full information at www.woodfield.com.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS
SCHOOL DAY: 8:30 am - 2:30 pm

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COUNTY: MORRIS
SCHOOL NAME: E.C.L.C. OF NEW JERSEY
21 LUM AVENUE
CHATHAM, NJ 07928

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (973) 635-1705 **FAX:** (973) 635-0548
CONTACT PERSON: BRUCE LITINGER
TITLE: EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
LEARNING/LANGUAGE DISORDERS- MILD TO MODERATE	18	05-21
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	2	10-18

Program Description

ECLC's mission is to help disabled students discover how they fit into the world and guide them toward becoming independent and employed adults.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 8:45 am - 2:45 pm

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COUNTY: MORRIS
SCHOOL NAME: ALLEGRO SCHOOL, INC.
125 RIDGEDALE AVENUE
CEDAR KNOLLS, NJ 07927

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (973) 267-8060 **FAX:** (973) 267-5872
CONTACT PERSON: DEBORAH C. LEWINSON
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
AUTISM	15	05-21
PRESCHOOL DISABILITIES	2	03-05

Program Description

Allegro School, currently in it's 10th year, is serving 108 students with autism/PDD ages 3-21 from 55 districts. The staff ratio is 1:1 in pre-school, which gradually changes 1:2, as the children become more independent. Discrete trial training and applied behavior analysis are the primary methods of instruction. The adolescent program is interdepartmental, emphasizing vocational exploration and training. Special services include speech, occupational therapy, transition, parent training and home programming.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 9:00 am - 2:30 pm

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COUNTY: MORRIS
SCHOOL NAME: CALAIS SCHOOL
45 HIGHLAND AVENUE
WHIPPANY, NJ 07981

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (973) 884-2030 **FAX:** (973) 884-0460
CONTACT PERSON: JOSEPH ORLANDO
TITLE: PRINCIPAL

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	17	05-21

Program Description

Calais provides an excellent teaching faculty who function under the direct supervision of certified supervisors, all of whom also possess certification as learning consultants. Highly structured behavior modification programs, including the "stop, think and act" cognitive strategies program are administered by certified school social workers. The school has extensive school-work transition programs, including shared time with Morris County Technical School, and a CIE program. An extended school year program is available for enrolled students, and those from other programs.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 8:30 am - 2:30 pm

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COUNTY: MORRIS
SCHOOL NAME: CHILDREN'S CTR-THERAPY & LEARNING
15 HALKO DRIVE
CEDAR KNOLLS, NJ 07927

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (973) 829-8484 **FAX:** (973) 829-8485
CONTACT PERSON: EDEE LEVEY
TITLE: ASSISTANT DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	6	05-11
PRESCHOOL DISABILITIES	4	03-05

Program Description

The Children's Center for Therapy and Learning is dedicated to improving the quality of life for children with physical, learning and speech disorders. Founded in 1953, the Center employs 95 professional and support staff. Available Services: Speech Therapy, Physical Therapy, Occupational Therapy, Health, Social Services, Extended School Year, Pool Therapy, Orthotics, Parent Education & Support, Adaptive/Assistive Technology and Augmentative Communication. Children's Center for Therapy and Learning's mission is to serve students with special needs toward achieving maximum potential. Quality programs and services are offered in a challenging, caring and nurturing environment.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 9:00 am - 2:45 pm

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COUNTY: MORRIS
SCHOOL NAME: CHANCELLOR ACADEMY II
31 CHAPEL HILL ROAD
LINCOLN PARK, NJ 07035

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (973) 686-0004 **FAX:** (973) 686-0711
CONTACT PERSON: DONNA C. SHERIDAN
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	7	05-15

Program Description

Founded in 1992, Chancellor Academy II is a day placement for youngsters with learning and behavioral difficulties, in grades K-9. We are fully accredited by the Middle States Association of Colleges and Schools. Students are provided an opportunity to participate in a full range of academic offerings that reflect the Core Curriculum Content Standards.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 8:15 am - 2:15 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

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COUNTY: MORRIS
SCHOOL NAME: DAYTOP PREPARATORY SCHOOL
80 WEST MAIN STREET
MENDHAM, NJ 07945

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (888) 432-9867 **FAX:** (973) 543-6772
CONTACT PERSON: JOSEPH HENNEN
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	9	14-18

Program Description

The mission of Day Top Preparatory School is to provide a continuum of educational and therapeutic services that enable students to lead fulfilling lives in the education and social mainstream. To fulfill our mission, we believe in an educational philosophy that focuses all of our services into a singular plan of improvement that includes the student, family and community of care. The specific goals and objectives of Day Top Preparatory School are: to have each student acquire the academic skills needed to achieve his/her high school diploma; to become eligible for post secondary education and to become productive citizens of society.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS
SCHOOL DAY: 9:30 am - 3:00 pm

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COUNTY: MORRIS
SCHOOL NAME: MONTGOMERY ACADEMY
22 ST. JOHN'S DRIVE
GLADSTONE, NJ 07934

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (908) 234-2840 **FAX:** (908) 234-2817
CONTACT PERSON: MARVIN LEIKEN
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	11	05-21

Program Description

Montgomery Academy is a private, non-profit, state approved special education day program for students ages 5-21. The program incorporates social, emotional and behavioral development within an integrated academic program. Learning is approached via a holistic and active program. Counseling and related services are offered within this therapeutic milieu. The school incorporates the New Jersey Core Curriculum Standards.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS
SCHOOL DAY: 9:00 am - 2:00 pm

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COUNTY: MORRIS
SCHOOL NAME: SHEPHARD HIGH SCHOOL
10 COLUMBA STREET
MORRISTOWN, NJ 07960

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (973) 984-1600 **FAX:** (973) 984-9722
CONTACT PERSON: FRANK J. COCUZZA
TITLE: EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	7	13-21

Program Description

Shepherd High School is a state approved program for students with behavioral disabilities. Our population consists of academically capable students, the vast majority of whom go on to college and/or post secondary training. A teacher and 2 aides are in each class of 10-12 students. Besides offering all state curricular requirements, elective programs are offered in drama, computers, instrumental music and Spanish. A work-study program is also offered. Counseling and speech are available as related services. An elaborate behavior modification system is integral to the program. A full array of athletic and other extracurricular activities take place at the school.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS
SCHOOL DAY: 8:50 am - 2:20 pm

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COUNTY: MORRIS
SCHOOL NAME: SHEPHARD ACADEMY
8 COLUMBA STREET
MORRISTOWN, NJ 07960

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (973) 984-1600 **FAX:** (973) 984-8722
CONTACT PERSON: FRANK J. COCUZZA
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	2	14-21

Program Description

Shepherd Academy is a state approved program for students with behavioral disabilities. Our population consists of lower functioning students whose program requires basic daily living skills. A teacher and 3 aides are in each class of 10-12 students. Besides offering all state curricular requirements, elective programs are offered in drama, computers, instrumental music and Spanish. A work study program is also offered. Counseling, speech and occupational therapy are available as related services. An elaborate behavior modification system is integral to the program. A full array of athletic and extracurricular activities take place at the school.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS
SCHOOL DAY: 8:50 am - 2:20 pm

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COUNTY: MORRIS
SCHOOL NAME: CHANCELLOR ACADEMY I
P.O. BOX 338
157 WEST PARKWAY
POMPTON PLAINS, NJ 07444

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (973) 835-4989 **FAX:** (973) 835-0768
CONTACT PERSON: RICHARD A. SHERIDAN
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	9	13-20

Program Description

Founded in 1983, Chancellor Academy is a day placement for youngsters with learning and behavioral difficulties, in grades 8-12. We are fully accredited by the Middle States Association of Colleges and Schools. Students are provided an opportunity to participate in a full range of academic offerings that reflect the Core Curriculum Standards, as they work toward earning their high school diplomas. Students are also able to participate in programs of instruction in the fields of Culinary Arts, Building Maintenance and Marine Science.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS
SCHOOL DAY: 8:00 am - 2:30 pm

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COUNTY: OCEAN

SCHOOL NAME: LEHMANN SCHOOL

C.P., MONMOUTH & OCEAN CO., INC.
1100 AIRPORT ROAD
LAKEWOOD, NJ 08701

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (732) 905-7200

FAX: (732) 905-1403

CONTACT PERSON: K. DAVID HOLMES

TITLE: EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	5	05-21
PRESCHOOL DISABILITIES	1	03-05

Program Description

The Lehmann School, founded in 1977, and accredited by the Commission on Accreditation for Rehabilitation Facilities, serves preschool disabled students and pupils with multiple and developmental disabilities. Individualized educational programs are implemented by a transdisciplinary team of teacher, speech, occupational and physical therapists, nurse, social worker, and instructional assistant. Clinical services, assistive technology and an extended school year program are available.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL

LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION

SCHOOL DAY: 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

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COUNTY: OCEAN
SCHOOL NAME: THE EDUCATION ACADEMY
OAKFIELD PLAZA
15 MANCHESTER AVE
FORKED RIVER, NJ 08731

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (609) 693-3322 **FAX:** (609) 693-5454
CONTACT PERSON: ROLAND LEWIS
TITLE: EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	5	06-13

Program Description

Established in 1992, the Education Academy is a private school, created to address the needs of elementary school children who are experiencing behavioral and/or other related problems in public school settings. All of our classes are self-contained and are designed to maximize learning opportunities and social growth for special needs children. An extended school year program is available, in addition to our 185 day regular school program.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 8:45 am - 2:30 pm

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COUNTY: OCEAN
SCHOOL NAME: ALPHA SCHOOL
FOREST AVENUE & 11th STREET
LAKEWOOD, NJ 08701

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (732) 370-1150 **FAX:** (732) 901-0736
CONTACT PERSON: RUTH REINHARD
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	10	05-18
PRESCHOOL DISABILITIES	1	03-05

Program Description

Established in 1980, Alpha School provides a nurturing environment for students aged 3-21 with various educational disabilities. The curriculum includes career education, social skills and behavior modification. Speech/language therapy, P.T., O.T., adaptive PE, counseling and in-home behavior management consultation are available as related services. A six week extended school year program is also available.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 9:00 am - 2:30 pm

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COUNTY: OCEAN
SCHOOL NAME: SCHOOL FOR CHILDREN WITH HIDDEN INTELLIGENCE
1091 RIVER AVENUE
LAKEWOOD, NJ 08701
* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.
TELEPHONE: (732) 886-0900 **FAX:** (732) 886-7603
CONTACT PERSON: OSHER EISEMANN
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	4	06-10
PRESCHOOL DISABILITIES	3	03-05

Program Description

SCHI offers a comprehensive program that includes educational and therapeutic intervention in a nurturing setting. Our goal is for every student to excel.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 9:00 am - 2:30 pm

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COUNTY: OCEAN

SCHOOL NAME: COASTAL LEARNING CENTER ANNEX

ROUTE 9, MILLERS MALL
LITTLE EGG HARBOR, NJ 08087

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (609) 294-9393

FAX: (609) 812-1252

CONTACT PERSON: ROBERT MINISI

TITLE: PRINCIPAL

Class Type

AUTISM

Number of Classes

1

Age Range

17-21

Program Description

NOT SUBMITTED

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL

LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/EXTENDED YEAR OPTION

SCHOOL DAY:

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COUNTY: OCEAN
SCHOOL NAME: OCEAN ACADEMY
160 ROUTE 9
BAYVILLE, NJ 08721

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (732) 349-5551 **FAX:** (732) 505-1802
CONTACT PERSON: STEVE FINKELSTEIN
TITLE: PRINCIPAL

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	3	12-19

Program Description

The Ocean Academy, an affiliate of Ocean Mental Health Services, Inc., offers therapeutic and academic intervention for students who are classified with severe emotional and multiple disabilities. The program has access to all clinical services, as the school is located in the same facility as Ocean Mental Health Center. Students are primarily from the Ocean, Monmouth, Burlington, Atlantic and Middlesex geographic areas.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 8:30 am - 2:10 pm

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COUNTY: OCEAN
SCHOOL NAME: HIGH ROAD SCHOOL, OCEAN
800 BAY AVENUE
TOMS RIVER, NJ 08753

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (732) 288-0218 **FAX:** (732) 238-7868
CONTACT PERSON: DIANE O' DONNELL
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	1	05-08
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	1	08-11
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	1	14-18
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	1	10-12
PRESCHOOL DISABILITIES	1	03-05

Program Description

High Road School of Ocean County provides a specialized program for students ages 3-12, who face learning, language and social challenges. We offer a small nurturing environment with personalized academic and behavioral interventions designed to help build the attitudes conducive to learning - confidence, motivation and self esteem. Speech and language therapy, occupational therapy, counseling and social skills training are available, to enable the student to make the most of all opportunities for learning.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/EXTENDED YEAR
SCHOOL DAY: 9:00 am - 2:30 pm

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COUNTY: OCEAN
SCHOOL NAME: COASTAL LEARNING CENTER
420 EAST MAIN STREET
TUCKERTON, NJ 08087

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (609) 294-9393 **FAX:** (609) 294-2398
CONTACT PERSON: FRANK VISCOMI
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	5	05-21
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	1	11-15

Program Description

Coastal Learning Center has provided programs for K-12 special needs students since 1974. The Tuckerton campus offers five classes for students with behavioral disabilities and one class for students with multiple disabilities. Our therapeutic environment is maintained by three MSW counselors, providing a behavior management system, including cognitive behavior therapy group, individual counseling and substance abuse counseling. Occupational, physical and speech/language therapies are available.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 8:45 am - 2:15 pm

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COUNTY: PASSAIC
SCHOOL NAME: PASSAIC COUNTY ELKS-C.P.C.
1481 MAIN STREET
CLIFTON, NJ 07011

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (973) 772-2600 **FAX:** (973) 772-5171
CONTACT PERSON: WILLIAM WEISS
TITLE: EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	12	05-12
PRESCHOOL DISABILITIES	2	03-05

Program Description

The Center offers a comprehensive educational and therapeutic program for children with multiple disabilities. A team of teachers and therapists evaluates each student and together, with their parents and child study team, plan an individualized program to meet their special needs. We provide nursing, social services speech therapy, occupational therapy, physical therapy, and augmentative communication training.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 8:30 am - 3:15 pm

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COUNTY: PASSAIC
SCHOOL NAME: PASSAIC COUNTY ELKS-C.P.C. H.S. ANNEX
15 UNION AVENUE
CLIFTON, NJ 07011

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TELEPHONE: (973) 772-0148 **FAX:** (973) 772-3775
CONTACT PERSON: WALTER CARUSO
TITLE: ASS. EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR/PRINCIPAL

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	8	13-21

Program Description

The Center offers a comprehensive educational and therapeutic program for high school aged students with multiple disabilities. A team of teachers and therapists evaluates each student and together, with their parents and child study team, plan an individualized program to meet their special needs. We provide job coaching nursing, social services speech therapy, occupational therapy, physical therapy and augmentative communication training.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 8:30 am - 3:15 pm

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COUNTY: PASSAIC
SCHOOL NAME: WINDSOR ACADEMY
190 OLIVER STREET
PATERSON, NJ 07505

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (973) 523-1785 **FAX:** (973) 523-3291
CONTACT PERSON: PHILIP A. SCARDILLI
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	4	06-15

Program Description

The Windsor Academy addresses the needs of students who have Attention Deficit Disorder and/or behavioral issues. This programs serves students in grades K-8. Through a persistent system of positive reinforcement, the Windsor Academy can reach our primary goal: the improvement of the educational and social functioning of each student and successful reintegration into the public schools. Counseling is offered as a related service.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS
SCHOOL DAY: 8:50 am - 2:20 pm

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COUNTY: PASSAIC
SCHOOL NAME: WINDSOR PREP
194 OLIVER STREET
PATERSON, NJ 07505

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (973) 523-4104 **FAX:** (973) 523-5591
CONTACT PERSON: PHILIP A. SCARDILLI
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	4	13-21

Program Description

The Windsor Preparatory program serves students from grades 9-12 who have Attention Deficit Disorder and/or behavioral concerns. A structured behavior modification program stresses the rewards of academic diligence and good conduct via a student ranking system, with graduated privileges including athletic, extracurricular, and community service activities. Students are encouraged to enter post-secondary programs. Our goal is to make sure the opportunity to succeed is offered to each and every student. Counseling is offered as a related service.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS
SCHOOL DAY: 8:50 am - 2:20 pm

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COUNTY: PASSAIC
SCHOOL NAME: WINDSOR SCHOOL
234 WANAQUE AVENUE
POMPTON LAKES, NJ 07442

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (973) 839-4050 **FAX:** (973) 839-4052
CONTACT PERSON: DANIEL A. GRECO
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	9	10-15

Program Description

The Windsor School is making a difference in alternative education for students who have Attention Deficit Disorder and/or behavioral concerns. Academic achievement, employment, community service and mainstreaming are realities for Windsor students. The Windsor School serves students from grades 5-8. Our program features a strong structured behavior modification system, counseling and on-going parent communication, to provide quality education and build academic achievement and self esteem in children who are challenged by a history of failure and conflict in school.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS
SCHOOL DAY: 8:50 am - 2:20 pm

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COUNTY: PASSAIC
SCHOOL NAME: WINDSOR LEARNING CENTER
230 WANAQUE AVENUE
POMPTON LAKES, NJ 07442

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (973) 839-4050 **FAX:** (973) 839-4052
CONTACT PERSON: JANET M. GRECO
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	4	06-12

Program Description

The Windsor Learning Center addresses the needs of students who have Attention Deficit Disorder and/or behavioral issues. This program serves students in grades K-4. We believe any child, despite his/her presenting behavior and social background, wants acceptance, achievement, knowledge and the ability to interact well with others. Our challenge is finding the key that unlocks the individual potential of each student in a warm, nurturing environment that allows the potential to flourish.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS
SCHOOL DAY: 8:50 am - 2:20 pm

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COUNTY: PASSAIC
SCHOOL NAME: MOUNT SAINT JOSEPH CHILDREN'S CTR.
124 SHEPHERDS LANE
TOTOWA, NJ 07512

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (973) 595-5720 **FAX:** (973) 595-1930
CONTACT PERSON: SISTER DOROTHY SHEAHAN
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	4	06-14

Program Description

Mount Saint Joseph's is a private day school for children with emotional and behavioral problems. We offer innovative inter-disciplinary learning programs which meet New Jersey core curriculum standards. We strive to have each of our students realize his potential, build self esteem and achieve a level of functioning commensurate with intellect and ability.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL with RESIDENTIAL COMPONENT
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 8:00 am - 2:00 pm

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COUNTY: PASSAIC

SCHOOL NAME: BENWAY SCHOOL, INC.

970 BLACK OAK RIDGE ROAD
WAYNE, NJ 07470

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (973) 835-5554

FAX: (973) 835-0016

CONTACT PERSON: ALFRED PIAGET, Ed.D.

TITLE: DIRECTOR

Class Type

BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES

Number of Classes

6

Age Range

11-21

Program Description

NOT SUBMITTED

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL

LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS

SCHOOL DAY: 9:00 am - 2:00 pm

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COUNTY: PASSAIC
SCHOOL NAME: CLEARVIEW SCHOOL
45 URBAN CLUB ROAD
WAYNE, NJ 07470

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (973) 694-5900 **FAX:** (973) 694-3912
CONTACT PERSON: RICHARD S. ARILOTTA
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	4	11-19
LEARNING/LANGUAGE DISORDERS- MILD TO MODERATE	2	13-17

Program Description

Clearview School, in operation since 1980, is an academically oriented day school which provides a comprehensive educational program. Clearview provides individualized instruction, behavior counseling, career counseling, remedial reading and math instruction, computer skills education, and speech/language therapy. Clearview is accredited by Middle States Association.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS
SCHOOL DAY: 8:50 am - 2:00 pm

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Approved In-State Private Schools for the Disabled

COUNTY: PASSAIC
SCHOOL NAME: LAKEVIEW LEARNING CENTER
P.O. BOX 4500
970 BLACK OAK RIDGE ROAD
WAYNE, NJ 07474-4500

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (973) 835-1777 **FAX:** (973) 835-1845
CONTACT PERSON: GEORGE D. SWANSON
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	6	08-18

Program Description

Lakeview assists students in attaining maximum potential. A behavior management system, with a strong emphasis on social problem solving is used. A full-time licensed psychologist and Master's level social worker provide counseling services. The school has a full-size gym and commercial size kitchen for culinary arts instruction. Traditional academics, computers, related arts, auto repair, career education, and CIE/work study are offered.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS
SCHOOL DAY: 9:00 am - 2:00 pm

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COUNTY: PASSAIC
SCHOOL NAME: NEW BEGINNINGS ANNEX
36 MAPLE ROAD
WEST MILFORD, NJ 07480-2706

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (973) 808-6279 **FAX:** (973) 808-5740
CONTACT PERSON: DAVID WEEKS
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
PRESCHOOL DISABILITIES	1	03-05

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS
SCHOOL DAY: 9:00 am - 2:30 pm

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COUNTY: PASSAIC
SCHOOL NAME: COMMUNITY SCH/CHILD GUIDANCE CTR
665 McBRIDE AVENUE
WEST PATERSON, NJ 07424

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (973) 754-1900 **FAX:** (973) 673-5782
CONTACT PERSON: HARRIET EISENBERG
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	4	5-14

Program Description

The Community School is a small school which has been in existence for over 25 years. It presently has five classes with a staff to student ratio of 1:3. The school serves students in Passaic, Essex, Hudson, Bergen, and Morris counties. Counseling and speech therapy are available as per the student's IEP, and a consulting child psychiatrist is on staff. The new School-to-Careers Transitional Program is the latest vehicle for helping the children set goals and aspirations for their future.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 8:45 am - 2:45 pm

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COUNTY: SALEM

SCHOOL NAME: STRANG SCHOOL

RANCH HOPE FOR BOYS
325 SAWMILL ROAD
ALLOWAY, NJ 08001

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (856) 935-1555

FAX: (856) 935-7928

CONTACT PERSON: CHARLES HAWN

TITLE: SCHOOL ADMINISTRATOR

Class Type

BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES

Number of Classes

8

Age Range

09-17

Program Description

NOT SUBMITTED

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL with RESIDENTIAL COMPONENT

LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION

SCHOOL DAY: 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

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COUNTY: SOMERSET
SCHOOL NAME: BONNIE BRAE SCHOOL
3415 VALLEY RD
PO BOX 825
LIBERTY CORNER, NJ 07938-0825

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (908) 647-4703 **FAX:** (908) 903-0592
CONTACT PERSON: WILLIAM M. POWERS
TITLE: CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	9	11-19

Program Description

Bonnie Brae provides quality educational services that enhance students' self esteem and confidence in their ability to learn. Specialized teachers in various discipline areas provide a strong academic and sports program, to prepare students for the technological challenges and emotional demands of the future. Individual, group, and family therapy address anger management, chemical abuse, sexual abuse and abandonment/grief issues. Bonnie Brae is JCAHO accredited.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL with RESIDENTIAL COMPONENT
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 8:40 am - 3:00 pm

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COUNTY: SOMERSET
SCHOOL NAME: LORD STIRLING SCHOOL, INC.
P.O. BOX 369
LORD STIRLING ROAD
BASKING RIDGE, NJ 07920

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (908) 766-1786 **FAX:** (908) 766-9443
CONTACT PERSON: JOSEPH E. GORGA
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	5	09-20
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	1	08-12

Program Description

Lord Stirling School, established in 1965, is a school for students classified behaviorally disordered and/or learning disabled. Lord Stirling is devoted to teaching and rehabilitating students who need an individualized educational program. Our program is flexible, with a high ratio of staff to students.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS
SCHOOL DAY: 8:30 am - 2:00 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

Approved In-State Private Schools for the Disabled

COUNTY: SOMERSET
SCHOOL NAME: GREEN BROOK ACADEMY, INC.
151 VOSSELLER AVENUE
PO BOX 947
BOUND BROOK, NJ 08805

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (908) 469-8677 **FAX:** (908) 469-0035
CONTACT PERSON: EDWARD J. DOUGHERTY
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	7	11-19

Program Description

Green Brook Academy, established in 1979, serves the needs of students ages 11-21 in Hudson, Hunterdon, Mercer, Middlesex, Morris, Somerset, Union and Warren Counties. Our program is designed to help each student achieve his/her maximum potential through an individualized education and a therapeutic environment. Our professional services include psychological counseling, substance abuse counseling, career planning, art therapy and crisis intervention.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS
SCHOOL DAY: 8:15 am - 2:30 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

Approved In-State Private Schools for the Disabled

COUNTY: SOMERSET
SCHOOL NAME: MIDLAND SCHOOL
94 READINGTON ROAD
P.O. BOX 5026
NORTH BRANCH, NJ 08876

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (908) 722-8222 **FAX:** (908) 722-1547
CONTACT PERSON: PHILIP M. GARTLAN
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	26	05-21

Program Description

The Midland School, established in 1960, serves multiply disabled students. Individualized instruction addresses all academic areas, including instruction in independent living skills, career education, social skills, and school to work transition. In addition to the basic academic courses, instruction is also offered in adaptive P.E., general shop and computer technology. Speech therapy, occupational therapy and counseling are available. Midland has twice been chosen by the U.S. Department of Education as a "Blue Ribbon School".

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

Approved In-State Private Schools for the Disabled

COUNTY: SOMERSET
SCHOOL NAME: HIGH ROAD UPPER SCHOOL
104 CORTELYOU LANE
SOMERSET, NJ 08873

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (732) 422-7900 **FAX:** (732) 422-3155
CONTACT PERSON: MICHELLE RIEMAN
TITLE: SUPERVISOR OF EDUCATION

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
COGNITIVELY IMPAIRED - MILD	1	14-21
LEARNING/LANGUAGE DISORDERS- MILD TO MODERATE	2	14-21
LEARNING/LANGUAGE DISORDERS- SEVERE	2	14-21
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	6	14-21

Program Description

Established in 1989, High Road Upper School is a day school in Somerset, New Jersey for students with learning and social disabilities. The school serves a population of approximately 100 students, ranging in age from 14 to 21. High Roads' slogan is, "Building Competence and Confidence through Academic and Career Interventions." Individualized teaching methods, small classes, related speech, counseling and job coaching services are offered. High Road's career and life skills training program help students' success at home and in the community.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS
SCHOOL DAY: 9:00 am - 2:30 pm

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Approved In-State Private Schools for the Disabled

COUNTY: SOMERSET

SCHOOL NAME: JERRY DAVIS EARLY CHILDHOOD CTR.

141 SOUTH MAIN STREET
MANVILLE, NJ 08835

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (908) 725-2266

FAX: (908) 704-0850

CONTACT PERSON: CECELIA AERSTIN

TITLE: DIRECTOR OF CHILD SVCS

Class Type

PRESCHOOL DISABILITIES

Number of Classes

2

Age Range

03-05

Program Description

The JDECC Preschool Program serves children ages 3-5 with special needs in 3 classrooms. There are 2 classes for special education, 5 hours per day, 5 days per week, up to 11 months. In collaboration with sending school districts, planned opportunities for inclusion are provided. There is an adaptive swimming program and the students enjoy frequent class trips. Certified physical, occupational, and speech therapists, and a school nurse, serve the daily needs of students.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL

LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION

SCHOOL DAY: 9:00 am - 2:00 pm

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COUNTY: SOMERSET
SCHOOL NAME: EAST MOUNTAIN SCHOOL
(CARRIER FOUNDATION)
P.O. BOX 147
BELLE MEAD, NJ 08502

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (908) 281-1415 **FAX:** (908) 281-5597
CONTACT PERSON: HOWARD KAPLAN
TITLE: ASSISTANT DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	10	12-19

Program Description

Our school serves students in grades 7-12, classified emotionally disturbed. Our target population is the low average to high average student whose ability to function in school has been seriously affected by significant psychiatric disorder, substance abuse, and/or learning problems. We provide students with a comprehensive academic program, a strong clinical/counseling program, a school wide behavior management system, and a wide range of extra-curricular activities, including a sports program, theatre program, year book and special event days.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS
SCHOOL DAY: 9:00 am - 2:30 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

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COUNTY: SOMERSET
SCHOOL NAME: ROCK BROOK SCHOOL
109 ORCHARD ROAD
SKILLMAN, NJ 08558

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (908) 431-9500 **FAX:** (908) 431-9503
CONTACT PERSON: MARY CATERSON
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	6	05-12
PRESCHOOL DISABILITIES	1	03-05

Program Description

Rock Brook School was established in 1974 and offers a unique team teaching approach. The team consists of a teacher, speech/language pathologist and an assistant for each classroom. The program focuses on incorporating speech and language goals into all areas of the curriculum. Behavioral programs are developed for individual students. Occupational and physical therapy, a music program and social skills development are offered as well. The school moved into a newly constructed facility in 1998.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 8:45 am - 2:30 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

Approved In-State Private Schools for the Disabled

COUNTY: SOMERSET
SCHOOL NAME: MATHENY SCHOOL
MAIN STREET
PEAPACK, NJ 07977

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CONTACT PERSON: JANET GWIAZDA
TITLE: DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	9	05-21

Program Description

Matheny School provides educational instruction by a closely coordinated team of teachers, therapists and support personnel. The result is a unique blend of services for individuals with cerebral palsy, spina bifida, muscular dystrophy, Lesch-Nyhan disease, and other developmental disabilities.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 9:30 am - 4:00 pm

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COUNTY: SOMERSET

SCHOOL NAME: SOMERSET HILLS LEARNING INSTITUTE

182 MAIN STREET
GLADSTONE, NJ 07934

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CONTACT PERSON: KEVIN BROTHERS

TITLE: DIRECTOR

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL

LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/EXTENDED YEAR OPTION

SCHOOL DAY: 8:30 am - 2:30 pm

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COUNTY: SOMERSET
SCHOOL NAME: SOMERSET HILLS SCHOOL, INC.
206 MOUNT HOREB ROAD
P.O. BOX 4305
WARREN, NJ 07059

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

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CONTACT PERSON: JEROME P. AMEDEO
TITLE: EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	12	07-15

Program Description

Somerset Hills, established 1971 is an approved private school for the disabled, with a residential and day treatment component, for students ages 7-15. Using an integrated approach, students receive the necessary support to gain new skills, increase self esteem and learn acceptable ways of behaving. The academic program provides an intensive plan geared toward the student's functional level, behavior and learning style.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL with RESIDENTIAL COMPONENT
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS
SCHOOL DAY: 9:00 am - 2:45 pm

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COUNTY: SOMERSET
SCHOOL NAME: **Mc AULEY SCHOOL**
1633 ROUTE 22 at THERRILL ROAD
WATCHUNG, NJ 07060

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TELEPHONE: (908) 754-4114 **FAX:** (908) 754-3312
CONTACT PERSON: NANCY HERRON
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
COGNITIVELY IMPAIRED-MODERATE	5	05-21

Program Description

The McAuley School offers a full opportunity for the comprehensive educational development of the disabled child. The ultimate goal of the school is to assist the cognitively disabled student toward becoming as productive and independent as he or she can.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS
SCHOOL DAY: 8:30 am - 2:30 pm

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COUNTY: SUSSEX
SCHOOL NAME: WILLOWGLEN ACADEMY - N.J., INC.
6 GAIL COURT, UNIT 4
SPARTA, NJ 07871

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TELEPHONE: (973) 579-5117 **FAX:** (973) 579-6124
CONTACT PERSON: SUSAN HACKETT
TITLE: PRINCIPAL

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
AUTISM	4	10-21
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	2	11-19

Program Description

Willowglen Academy, established in 1987 and located in northwestern New Jersey, is a day school with a residential treatment facility component. Intensive clinical and educational services are provided to severely emotionally disturbed and developmentally disabled pre-adolescents and adolescents. The school operates in a self-contained format, and emphasizes academic instruction, functional daily living skills development, socio-behavioral development, prevocational training and language/communication development. Dedicated trained professional staff members lead and direct the program services, using a multidisciplinary team management approach.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL with RESIDENTIAL COMPONENT
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 8:20 am - 2:45 pm

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COUNTY: SUSSEX
SCHOOL NAME: LAKELAND-ANDOVER SCHOOL
67 ROUTE 15
P.O. BOX 200
LAFAYETTE, NJ 07848

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (973) 383-0208 **FAX:** (973) 383-1276
CONTACT PERSON: GERARD V. PINTO
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	4	10-20

Program Description

Lakeland-Andover School, established in 1972, is a non-profit facility for adolescents with behavioral disabilities. The program includes academic instruction in small classroom settings. Courses offered include: English, Math, Science, History, Physical Education, Health, Art, Wood Shop, Computer Class, Drama, Instrumental Music and Weight Training. Shared time vocational work/study opportunities are available. Individual and group counseling are also available. The staff of 20 staff persons, includes two psychologists. The program serves a maximum of 40 students. Our physical plant is old, but very warm and comfortable.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS
SCHOOL DAY: 8:45 am - 2:15 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

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COUNTY: SUSSEX

SCHOOL NAME: CEDAR CLIFF ACADEMY - CLOSED, EFFECTIVE 6/30/03

1 BROOKS PLAZA
NEWTON, NJ 07860

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (973) 579-9000

FAX:

CONTACT PERSON: JAMES W. ALLEGRA

TITLE: DIRECTOR

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL

LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS

SCHOOL DAY: 8:30 am - 2:00 pm

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COUNTY: UNION

SCHOOL NAME: THE JARDINE ACADEMY, CRANFORD

61 MYRTLE STREET
CRANFORD, NJ 07016

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (908) 709-1800

FAX:

CONTACT PERSON: DEBRA WOLFEL

TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	3	14-21
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	3	10-14

Program Description

Accredited by Middle States Commission of Schools, The Jardine Academy, Cranford Campus offers a comprehensive educational program for students ages 10-21 with severe developmental disabilities, who may also have special medical needs.

Through a functional curriculum, teachers and therapists teach the skills necessary for functional independence. Students are taught how to communicate with others, how to eat, drink and dress themselves. Equally important, they are taught how to live, work and play in the community. The specialized nursing staff provides the critical support that many of our students need to participate in the community based program. A minimum staff ration of 1:3 is maintained in each class to assure an optimal learning environment. The goal of The Jardine Academy is to help students acquire skills that will improve the quality of their lives and that of their families.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL

LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/EXTENDED YEAR OPTION

SCHOOL DAY:

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COUNTY: UNION
SCHOOL NAME: DERON SCHOOL OF N.J., INC., I
320 SECOND AVENUE
GARWOOD, NJ 07027

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (908) 301-0200 **FAX:** (908) 301-0256
CONTACT PERSON: DIANE C. ALTER
TITLE: DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
COGNITIVELY IMPAIRED-MODERATE	2	09-13
COGNITIVELY IMPAIRED-SEVERE	2	05-14
LEARNING/LANGUAGE DISORDERS- MILD TO MODERATE	1	05-14
LEARNING/LANGUAGE DISORDERS- SEVERE	1	06-07
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	7	06-14

Program Description

Deron I offers a supportive academic program for students who exhibit a wide range of disabilities, learning styles and behaviors. Students thrive in a nurturing environment which emphasizes academics, social and language skills, motor skills development, life skills, and behavior modification. Related services are offered by health, speech, and social work professionals. Provision for individual aides, occupation therapy and physical therapy is available. Deron was founded in 1967 and is accredited by the Middle States Association.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 8:45 am - 2:30 pm

Last updated 03-Jun-03

Approved In-State Private Schools for the Disabled

COUNTY: UNION

SCHOOL NAME: CHILDREN'S SPECIALIZED HOSPITAL

330 SOUTH AVENUE
FANWOOD, NJ 07023

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (908) 233-3720

FAX: (908) 889-8521

CONTACT PERSON: PAM VENCKUS

TITLE: DIR OF CHILD ED SVCS

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
AUTISM	1	05-08
LEARNING/LANGUAGE DISORDERS- MILD TO MODERATE	3	05-08
PRESCHOOL DISABILITIES	6	03-05

Program Description

Children's Specialized Hospital's goal is to promote the social, emotional, cognitive, language and physical development of each student. Occupational, physical and speech therapies are delivered individually and in small groups. A developmental pediatrician observes students in the classroom and, with the teacher, regularly reviews students' overall status, and suggests strategies to be used in the classroom setting and at home. A pediatric physiatrist assesses pupils' motoric progress and recommends intervention, where indicated. Older students participate in social skills groups led by educational psychologists. The social worker and psychologist conduct periodic sibling groups and monthly parent meetings.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL

LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION

SCHOOL DAY: 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

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COUNTY: UNION
SCHOOL NAME: THE ARC KOHLER SCHOOL
1137 GLOBE AVENUE
MOUNTAINSIDE, NJ 07092

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (908) 518-0021 **FAX:** (908) 518-0636
CONTACT PERSON: ALLAN I. KAHN
TITLE: PRINCIPAL

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	3	05-09
PRESCHOOL DISABILITIES	6	03-05

Program Description

The ARC Kohler School provides a comprehensive full day school program for preschool and primary age students with developmental disabilities. An extended school year program is available. A collaborative neuro-developmental model is followed, which includes special educators, speech and language therapists and occupational and physical therapists.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 9:15am - 3:00 pm

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COUNTY: UNION
SCHOOL NAME: SUMMIT SPEECH SCHOOL
FM KIRBY CENTER
705 CENTRAL AVENUE
NEW PROVIDENCE, NJ 07974

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (908) 508-0011 **FAX:** (908) 508-0012
CONTACT PERSON: CLAIRE KANTOR
TITLE: EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
PRESCHOOL DISABILITIES	7	03-05

Program Description

The Summit Speech School was founded in 1967. It's mission is to provide an auditory/oral treatment program, to enable hearing impaired preschoolers to take their place in the mainstream. Summit Speech School was the recipient of the 1999 NJSAA Program of the Year Award for its full scope programs for hearing impaired youngsters. Our services include speech/language therapy, oral motor therapy, auditory training, physical therapy, occupational therapy, and extensive parent support services. The school serves over 100 children from 14 counties and 120 communities, in half day sessions. Session 1 is scheduled from 9:00 to 11:30 and Session 2 runs from 12:30 to 3:00.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

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COUNTY: UNION

SCHOOL NAME: THE NEWMARK SCHOOL (formally The Landmark School)

365 EMERSON AVENUE
PLAINFIELD, NJ 07062

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (908) 753-0330

FAX: (908) 753-0860

CONTACT PERSON: REGINA PETER

TITLE: DIRECTOR

Class Type

BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES

Number of Classes

5

Age Range

05-14

Program Description

It is the goal of The Newmark School to provide meaningful opportunities for students to learn the skills needed to become lifelong learners. These skills include self-assessment, both academically and emotionally and constructive goal setting. The teacher is regarded as a powerful facilitator in the learning process, and is actively involved in meeting students' individual IEP objectives and needs. Classroom environments are highly structured, yet allow students opportunities to explore and receive immediate feedback. Teachers utilize advanced technology to assist in the learning process.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL

LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS

SCHOOL DAY: 8:30 am - 2:10 pm

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COUNTY: UNION
SCHOOL NAME: VICTORY SCHOOL
301 COX STREET
ROSELLE, NJ 07203

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (908) 241-7200 **FAX:** (908) 241-2025
CONTACT PERSON: ARTHUR GRAND
TITLE: PRINCIPAL

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	1	16-20
COGNITIVELY IMPAIRED-MODERATE	1	16-20

Program Description

The Victory School serves students with cognitive and behavioral disabilities. The program consists of half day of academic classes and half day in our Industrial Work Center. Each student earns a paycheck while completing IEP requirements. The program is supported by staff counselors and consulting psychiatrists.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS
SCHOOL DAY: 8:30 am - 3:30 pm

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COUNTY: UNION
SCHOOL NAME: THE JARDINE ACADEMY
373 CLERMONT TERRACE
UNION, NJ 07083

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (908) 354-5800 **FAX:** (908) 354-7563
CONTACT PERSON: DEBRA WOLFEL
TITLE: EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
COGNITIVELY IMPAIRED-SEVERE	4	05-21
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES	5	05-21
PRESCHOOL DISABILITIES	2	03-05

Program Description

The Jardine Academy addresses the needs of students with multiple disabilities and who demonstrate significant deficits in cognition and learning. While these individual needs may vary, the typical student benefits from the related services of physical therapy, occupational therapy, speech therapy and/or specialized nursing services, all of which are available at The Jardine Academy. The Jardine Academy is accredited by the Middle States Association of Colleges and Schools. Website:
<http://members.home.net/jardineacademy>

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS/ EXTENDED YEAR OPTION
SCHOOL DAY: 9:00 am - 2:30 pm

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COUNTY: WARREN
SCHOOL NAME: STEPPING STONE SCHOOL
45 COUNTY ROAD 519
BLOOMSBURY, NJ 08804

* Please note that this is the only Department of Education approved location for this program.

TELEPHONE: (908) 995-1999 **FAX:** (908) 995-1994
CONTACT PERSON: JACK EMERY
TITLE: EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

<u>Class Type</u>	<u>Number of Classes</u>	<u>Age Range</u>
BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES	4	06-16

Program Description

Our mission is to provide a highly structured therapeutic and nurturing environment for students with various educational disabilities, who demonstrate difficulties adjusting to the demands of the public school setting. We strive to meet each student's social, emotional and academic needs, while providing supportive counseling and guidance to each parent or guardian.

TYPE OF PROGRAM: DAY SCHOOL
LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 10 MONTHS
SCHOOL DAY: 8:30 AM - 2:15 PM

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